WEATHER FORECASTS

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COMMUNIST HATE ALLEGED TO HAVE MADE LENINE ILL

Statement Is Given in Berlin Dispatch to Jewish News Bureau in New York—Recent Attacks on Premier by Moscow Extremists Said to Have Been Violent

PRESENTING ACCUSATION OF SELLING OUT CAUSE

Soviets Are Reported to Have Difficulty in Keeping Order Among Troops, Owing to Hardships and Lack of Employment—Army Withdrawing From Armenia and Georgia

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The Jewish News Bureau today made public wireless advices from Berlin stating that Nikolai Lenine, Premier of Soviet Russia, was ill in Moscow from a general breakdown accentuated by recent violent attacks upon him by extremists in the Communist party, who accused him of "selling out the cause" in his dealings with foreign financiers, including W. D. Vanderlip, of Los Angeles.

The message from the bureau's Berlin correspondent said:

"At a recent meeting of the Communists, Lenine delivered an impassioned speech. This, however, did not hush them up, and expressions such as 'selling out the cause' have been freely handed about.

"Lenine finally gave way under the strain of these accusations."

The message said three German specialists were on their way to Moscow for a consultation.

The Russian Soviet Bureau in New York said it had received no word of Lenine's alleged illness.

HOSPITAL INCURS HEAVY DEFICIT

Vancouver Institution Runs Behind in Its Finances to Amount of $120,000—Others in Worse Case

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—With 1,100 beds and always from 900 to 1,000 in-patients to be cared for, Vancouver General Hospital has a deficit of $120,000 for the past year, according to the statement of Dr. M. T. MacEachern, medical superintendent.

However, this, he said, compares favorably with many of the institutions of the same nature in Eastern and Middle Canada. Toronto's hospital, with 780 beds, has a deficit of $150,000; Winnipeg will show a deficit of $80,000 to $90,000, and Calgary's hospital has a shortage of $250,000 to cope with.

Dr. MacEachern said the united hospital committee estimated that the cost per day per patient was $3.75, while the per capita cost for patients at the Vancouver hospital averaged, for the year, $3.25 per day. The hospitals of B.C. were very optimistic as to the future, as, in view of the quick decline of the cost of materials, many financial difficulties would be removed in the present year.

PLOT FRUSTRATED IN JUGO-SLAVIA

Attempt Is Made to Establish Soviet Government, Murder Former Premier and Imprison Prince Regent

VIENNA, Jan. 10.—Details of the recent attempted plot in Jugo-Slavia to establish a soviet government following a genaral strike were received today. A newspaper strike in South Jugo-Slavia delayed the details.

According to a statement in which the Jugo-Slav Minister of the Interior, Drachovitch, arraignad tha communist members of the constituent assembly, the communists planned to murder former Premier Vesnitch, imprison the Prince Regent and proclaim a proletariat dictatorship.

The communists had accomplices in the royal guard, the police, the army and the telephone service, according to M. Drachovitch, and were ready to seize the mails and establish communication with Moscow. Many bombs, explosives and firearms were procured. It is alleged the newspapers were ready to go over to the communists.

Many men who had made large profits from the sale of necessaries of life at exorbitant prices were found on the side of the communists. Several hundred communists have been imprisoned.

Apple Retaliation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Should Canada impose a tariff of more than 30 cents a box on apples imported from the United States, the tariff on Canadian apples shipped to this country would be increased automatically until it was equal to tha Canadian duty, under a bill introduced today by Senator Jones.

Soviet Troops Rebellious

PARIS, Jan. 11.—Dispatches received here today from the Bolsheviki front in the Caucasus say the soviets are having difficulty in keeping their troops in hand in the severe weather, with no enemy in front of them to keep them occupied. Desertions are numerous, and the insubordination is spreading the ranks, the soldiers demanding of the officers why they are kept mobilized with nothing to do, according to the dispatches.

Withdraw from Armenia

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 11.—Reports that the eleventh soviet Russian army has been withdrawn from Armenia and that the Bolsheviki troops in Georgia had likewise been ordered out, are confirmed here. The troops have been ordered to take up winter quarters along the railway between Baku and Tiflis.

Provisioning conditions for the soviet forces were found difficult, the advices state, because of the ineffectiveness of the transport arrangements and the refusal of the peasants to supply the Bolsheviki with food.

ASK MR. WILSON TO DECIDE CASE

Dispute of State and Labor Departments Over Lord Mayor O'Callaghan's Law Violation Referred to Him

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Decision as to the deportation of Lord Mayor O'Callaghan of Cork, who arrived last week as a stowaway without a passport, was referred today to President Wilson.

Presidant Wilson's advice was sought at today's cabinet meeting. He thus was called upon to decide between the position of Acting Secretary Davis, of the State Department, who has insisted on exclusion of tha Lord Mayor for attempting to enter without a passport, and that of Secretary Wilson, who has refused to acknowledge jurisdiction of the State Department until the case has been presented to it.

With the Labor Department declining to recognize jurisdiction of the State Department, and the State Department insisting on its right to order deportation under war-time powers conferred upon the President, officials of the Labor Department stated today the case had reached an impasse calling for the intermediation of the President.

RELIEF MEASURES TAKEN IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Tomorrow morning there will not be a man in Vancouver out of employment unless he is physically unable to work. Certainly there will not be any men in distress because of inability to secure a job.

The important announcement to this effect was made at noon by Rev. George D. Ireland, civic relief officer. About 400 man were sent out thia morning to work at Stanley Park, he reported, and in view of tha success of tha scheme tha civic authorities have decided that they will take on an unlimited number while there is still cause for distress.

In other words, tha relief officer has practically a clean sheet as far as men out of work is concerned, and while he is still engaged in taking care of individual cases of need these will be minimized within a very few days

SIMPLE CEREMONIES FOR INAUGURATION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—President elect Harding will take the oath of office March fourth with ceremonies approximating in simplicity those which attended the inauguration of Jefferson and Jackson.

The joint Congressional inaugural committee decided today that with should be administered in the Senate Chamber and that all outside ceremonies should be dispensed with.

The new President would thus take the oath in the small and almost semi-private chamber of the Senate immediately after the swearing in of Calvin Coolidge, Vice-President, and then would deliver his address within hearing only of members of the Senate and House, justices of the Supreme Court and not more than 1,000 persons would be able to crowd into the galleries.

The committee submitted its plans for the approval of Mr. Harding through a telegram sent by Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, committee chairman.

MUCH LIQUOR STOLEN FROM LARGE CARGO

ST. JOHN, Jan. 11.—The steamer Cabotia recently arrived here from Scotland with 50,000 cases of the liquor that has made Scotland famous.

The discharging of the cargo has been one of great concern to officials of steamship and railway companies, and close guard has been kept on the work, but despite all precautions many cases have mysteriously disappeared on the route from the ship's hold to the freight cars.

AGREES CONTEST WAS "ACCIDENT"

Mayor Porter, in First Campaign Speech, Outlines His Policies—Tears Open Opponent's Platform

Mayor Robert J. Porter made the first speech of his campaign last night at the Victoria West School, where his opponent, Ald. Joseph Patrick, spoke last week. Other candidates for municipal offices also spoke.

The Mayor said he believed Alderman Patrick when he said his candidature was just an accident. "The general effect of the accident," said the Mayor, "has been to send him up in the air, and he isn't likely to reach the ground until Thursday."

"I am satisfied that if we once made a start on a swimming bath project here, it would amply repay us in the increased tourist travel that would come to the city," said the Mayor. "It would be an attractive feature in every way, and while it might be some years before the initial cost could be paid out of its revenue, I feel quite sure that it would more than pay its way right from the start.

"There is no doubt that our big problem, the problem which overshadows all others, is that of delinquent taxes. During the past year we made repeated efforts to obtain from the Provincial Government new sources of revenue, but in vain. We realize that it is imperative that new sources of revenue be opened up if we are to make any headway towards remedying the financial condition of the city. Our case is a strong one, and I feel sure that the Provincial Government will see the reasonableness of our contention and grant us some concessions. It is only fair that it should do so.

"The city has spent $8,000,000 on its streets, and yet the Provincial Government absorbs all the motor tax. The city does not share in the amusement tax either, although it provides the theatres with police and fire protection, and makes it possible to have them patronized by its system of streets and sidewalks. The Provincial Government has taken over the fire insurance tax, although it was originally created for the municipalities, to which it rightly belongs.

Must Get Relief

"If we fail to secure relief from the Provincial Government we will be forced to increase the land taxes, and that is the last thing in the world we want to do. Last year Victoria was one of the few cities in Canada that was able to fix a tax rate lower than in effect the previous year, and I hope that we shall not have to advance it this year.

"One of the planks in my platform is the development of the Elk Lake watershed for park purposes. We own 1,000 acres there and, in my opinion, the area could be converted into one of the nicest parks in the country. During the past year we had limited financial resources to deal with the parks, and I believe that we should give the city parks first choice, but I believe also that we should formulate a concrete programme for the improvement of Elk Lake and arrange to do so much each year, so that in the end we will have something that will attract people from many miles away.

Delinquent Taxpayers.

"We must not fail to provide, as we have in the past, the utmost relief to delinquent taxpayers. We must remember that in the majority of cases the taxpayers are not responsible for the conditions which made it difficult, if not impossible, for them to meet their payments. The Council is trying to devise means of helping the people in arrears, but it felt that we must clear the slate as much as possible by holding tax sales and thus finding out just where we stood.

"The Soldiers' Housing Act was adopted with some hesitation, but it worked out well, and I am now in favor of legislation that will enable us to extend the same assistance to people other than soldiers in building houses. Our best guarantee for the future is a community of home owners.

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EXTRAVAGANCE IS CONDEMNED

Minister of Finance in Public Address Offers Severe Comments on Wasteful Spending of Money

MANY IMPORTATIONS ARE UNNECESSARY

Continuation of Adverse Balance of Trade Likely to Bring Disaster—Luxury Tax Called Salutary Blister

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Jan. 11.—Speaking before members of the Eastern Ontario and Ottawa district branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, at their annual banquet here tonight, Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance, conveyed to the citizens of Canada a strong denunciation of the extravagant spending of Canada's money in the United States.

First dealing with the now dead luxury taxes, Sir Henry stated that the tax was a blister applied in the time of need, but like a mustard plaster which had served its useful purpose, was not left on too long.

He spoke of the distribution problem, and warned that unless Canada swings the balance of trade in her favor by buying more at home or in Great Britain she is merely postponing the inevitable end.

Canadian importations of fruits from the United States jumped from $176,000 in 1919 to $374,000 last year; canned vegetable importations jumped 124 per cent, pickles and sauces 50 per cent and textile products 66 per cent. Despite the fact that many shoe factories were closed, Canadians imported last year $13,000,000 in shoes from the United States. He told the merchants that only the people could bring about a change, and he asked their assistance in bringing them to their senses, by pointing out the reason why they should buy at home.

AUSTRIANS THREATEN TO HANG PROFITEERS

VIENNA, Jan. 10.—Threats to hang profiteers on lamp posts were made by members of several unions at a conference today. The conference had been called by the Chancellor to devise means of checking rising prices.

Notice was served upon the government that unless it could show before the end of the month that measures had been taken which would suppress profiteering, members of these organizations would "take the law into their own hands and hang them to lamp posts."

KRASSIN RETURNS DISAPPOINTED

Soviet Emissary Is Much Dissatisfied With Results of Trade Negotiations—Agreement Improbable

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Leonid Krassin, the Russian Bolsheviki Minister of Trade and Commerce, who has been in London on a trade mission, left this evening for Moscow. He had with him modified proposals for a trade agreement between Great Britain and Soviet Russia.

M. Krassin, prior to his departure, told a representative of The Daily Herald that the latest conversations with Sir Robert Horne, president of the Board of Trade, had not brought an agreement appreciably nearer. This, he explained, did not mean a final deadlock, but although a number of minor points had been cleared up, there were still three great differences, the preamble, the gold price question and the question of immunity of gold or goods from Russia.

"The last two points," said M. Krassin, "are not mentioned in the draft of the agreement, and unless settled, there can be no trade, however many agreements we may sign.

"Great Britain has agreed to issue exporta licences for Russian gold brought here, but this proposal is so fenced by conditions and limitations that it would confirm instead of remove tha gold blockada against us. Unless Great Britain changes her attitude, I am very pessimistic."

WILL TEST STRENGTH OF FRENCH CABINET

PARIS, Jan. 11.—A test of strength of the Government of Premier Leygues is foreshadowed in the Chamber of Deputies tomorrow by the determination expressed tonight by several groups of deputies that they will insist upon an immediate interpellation of tha Government on its policy, without awaiting the outcome of the conference of the Allied Premiers concerning matters still outstanding with Germany, which is to begin on January 19.

It had been understood that the Opposition would delay its attack so as to give M. Leygues a free hand in the Allied conferance, but many deputies had changed their minds tonight at the end of the opening session of the Chamber today.

CORK SINN FEINER IS SENT TO DEATH BY COURT-MARTIAL

Sentence of Death Pronounced on Joseph Murphy for Having Led in Attack in Which Soldier Was Killed—Member of Parliament for South Kerry Arrested

DISORDER SPREADS AMONG EAST INDIANS

ALLAHABAD, British India, Jan. 11.—The police are powerless to quell the rioting in this region, which has spread to Skutan-Pur, sixty miles to the northeast, where buildings have been burned. Troops have been summoned from Lucknow.

There have been 600 persons arrested.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—A Reuter dispatch from Allahabad says official advices from the riot area assert that the situation is well in hand.

RUSSIAN REFUGEES LEFT IN BAD PLIGHT

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 11.—Announcement by Gen. Wrangel, former anti-Bolsheviki leader in the Crimea, that France's material assistance to the Crimean refugees here will cease on February 1, is causing consternation among the Russians, who are stripped of the means of subsistence and are depending on French help.

It is impossible to forecast what the multitude of Russians here will do when this assistance is withdrawn.

Gen. Wrangel has lost his authority and his decrees are not carried out because the White Army no longer exists.

BANK PRESIDENT ADVISES THRIFT

Sir Edmund Walker Declares Sanity of Action Is Necessary to Meet Situation—Scaling Down of Prices

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—A call for sanity action to meet the exceptional and not encouraging outlook of the coming year was sounded by Sir Edmund Walker, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at the annual meeting of that institution today. Sir Edmund, after a detailed review of trade and industrial conditions, summed up his address with the following:

"Among the lights and shadows of the world at the moment are too many shadows to warrant anything but anxious care. You have heard from the general manager the results of the best year the bank ever has had, and thus far we have not had much evidence of a decline in the spending habits of our people or the hard times that are ahead of us. We know, however, that here, as elsewhere, all prices, whether of commodities or of labor, must be reduced to a more reasonable basis, and the effect of the world's lower prices for farm products is already in plain view.

"When this readjustment has reached the retail shop and a new basis of values has been generally accepted, a genuine prosperity will arise throughout the world, in which we shall have a large share. We shall merit and we shall secure that prosperity in proportion to our good sense in realizing, however, that our particular sin is extravagant expenditure and willingness to incur debt."

Sir Edmund spared none in his address. He pointed out the immediate necessity of respecting our trade and flayed certain existing taxation."

VIENNA GOVERNMENT UNABLE TO CONTINUE

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Austrian Government has announced to the Governments of the Entente that it is at the end of its resources, and no longer in a position to continue, according to a report which has reached official German quarters, says a London Times dispatch from Berlin.

The Government has declared its intention to retire January 15, and place tha administration of the country in the hands of the reparations commission, the dispatch adds.

USE OF MOTOR CARS AGAIN RESTRICTED

Dublin Castle Denies Report of Martial Law in Dublin City and County—Young Man Killed Near Scene of Attacks on Police—Another Killed in Capital

DUBLIN, Jan. 11.—A sentence of death has been promulgated in the case of Joseph Murphy, of Cork, who was found guilty by a court-martial of having led an attack in Cork, October 8, on the military, when he carried a bomb and revolver. A soldier was killed in the attack.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—A Dublin dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph says that Finian Lynch, Sinn Fein member of Parliament for South Kerry, and who is a member of the Dail Eireann, was arrested tonight in Balbriggan.

CORK, Jan. 11.—General Strickland, commanding the military forces, has prohibited the use of motor cars, motor cycles and bicycles between the hours of 8 o'clock at night and 6 o'clock in the morning throughout the entire area under martial law.

DUBLIN, Jan. 11.—Dublin Castle today stated that there was no truth in the published report that the authorities contemplated the extension of martial law to Dublin city and county.

BELFAST, Jan. 11.—John Doran, a prominent young Sinn Feiner of Camlough, which has been the scene of recent attacks on the police, was taken from his bed in his father's house at midnight last night by seven armed men and shot to death.

After a distressing scene in the house, Doran was led to a spot nearby, where his brother Michael was compelled to witness the execution. A sister was injured in trying to prevent her brother's removal.

DUBLIN, Jan. 11.—Early last evening James Farrell was shot dead and Thomas Connolly was severely wounded on North Brunswick Street, Dublin, by auxiliary police. A few children who were playing in the street at the time were the only witnesses.

A semi-official report of the shooting says that while two auxiliary police officers were walking through the streets, several shots were fired at them, whereupon one of the officers drew his revolver and returned the fire.

DUBLIN, Jan. 11.—The Wexford County Council, composed of republicans, has adopted a resolution unanimously calling upon the general council of Irish county councils to start a campaign for the total prohibition of the consumption of liquor and tobacco in Ireland, in order to deprive the imperial exchequer of taxes from these commodities esfimated at £20,000,000.

The resolution, which was proposed and seconded by members connected with the liquor trade, appealed to the Catholic hierarchy for co-operation.

DAUDET AND BLANC HAVE LIVELY "SCRAP"

PARIS, Jan. 11.—A short fistic encounter between Leon Daudet, royalist of the extreme Right, and Alexandre Blanc, Socialist of the extreme Left, occurred in the lobby at today's reopening of the Chamber of Deputies.

The two chanced to meet, and Deputy Blanc asked M. Daudet to discontinue his campaign in L'Action Francaise against the Socialists. M. Daudet's reply was that he intended to intensify his campaign.

M. Blanc then swung open-handed with right and left, landing both blows. M. Daudet countered, flooring Deputy Blanc.

Leon Daudet fought eleven duels with swords or pistols before the war.

TOKIO JOURNALS DISCUSS NAVIES

Denunciation of Canards Concerning International Differences—Hope for Expression From Mr. Harding

TOKIO, Jan. 11.—The rumors from America of a secret clause in the Anglo-Japanese alliance is announced by the Jiji Shimpo as in the class of mischievous canards, and the talk of war between Japan and the United States as similarly mischievous, particularly at this time when it says the disarmament idea is making headway.

The Jiji Shimpo expresses the hope that President-elect Harding will shortly announce his views on disarmament, and also his plan for an association of nations.

The Kokumin Shimbun, commenting on the disarmament discussion, says:

"This is America's day; others can only listen to her simultaneous plea for disarmament and the biggest navy."

The newspaper expresses the view that the suggested Washington conference on disarmament would end by confirming the big navy policy.

The Jiji Shimpo said that as for a naval race between America, Japan and England, this would be incomparably more foolish than the Anglo-German naval race before the war.

Price of Gold Declines

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The decline of 44 pence per ounce in the price of bar gold is held to be due to the upward trend of American exchange, which today touched $3.76 for cable transfers. The cause assigned for this rise is the slackening of trade.

Mrs. Macswiney Lands in England

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Terance Macswiney disembarked here today from the steamship Penhandle State, which arrival from Naw York. Only two or three friends greeted her. She intends to remain in England a few days and then proceed to Ireland.

Shot by Japanese Soldier

TOKIO, Jan. 11 (Bulletin).—Newspaper dispatches received from Vladivostok report that the chief engineer of the American cruiser Albany was shot by a Japanese soldier while he was returning to his vessel at 4 o'clock this morning, and died shortly afterward.

Anatole France Becomes Communist

PARIS, Jan. 11.—Anatole France, tha author, has announced his adhesion to tha communist section of the French Socialist party. This action was not expected, as he began last October to write articles favoring sovietism, saying that the advancement of soviet principles was one of the principal undertakings of his life.

Premier Stewart Doing Well

EDMONTON, Jan. 11.—The condition of Premier Stewart, who was operated on for appendicitis early this morning, was reported excellent at the hospital tonight.

Albanian Throne

ATHENS, Jan. 11.—King Constantine today denied that Prince Christopher had been offered the Albanian throne. He said that Princess Anastasia, American wife of Christopher, did not view with pleasura the prospect of reigning in Albania.

Socialist Denounces Lenine's Government

Mr. Schwartz, of San Francisco, Offers Presents Fiery Indictment of Present Regime in Russia—Much Worse Than Czarism—He and His Wife Brutally Treated

BERLIN, Jan. 11.—"Communism in Russia is robberism; it tolerates imprisonment, persecution and execution without trial; it has brought Russia starvation, disease and death. There is no government. It is a worse autocracy than the czarist government, and I lived there for over twenty years under the Czar," Mr. Schwartz, American Socialist of San Francisco, recently released after four months' imprisonment in Moscow, declared today. With his wife, known for 20 years in America as a Socialist worker under the name of Jessie M. Molle, he went to Russia last year and attended the second congress of the Third Internationale.

The couple were thrown into prison August 6, because they failed to approve conditions in Russia. They were released Dec. 3, after Mrs Schwartz went on a hunger strike, and sent to Lenine. Trotzky and Tchitcherin notification that she preferred to have her death advertised to the working classes of America rather than suffer further hardships at the hands of the Bolsheviki, whom she had believed to be exponents of justice to the workers until she arrived in Russia.

Mrs. Schwartz died at Reval, Dec. 20, from the effects of her long solitary confinement and hunger, and her husband is returning to America to give even worse pictures of conditions in Russia than many Italian, British and German delegates to the congress of the Third Internationale have painted.

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Fire on Cable Ship

HALIFAX, Jan. 11.—Fire brokeout this morning in the coal bunkers of the French cable ship Edouard Jerenne at the French Cable Company's pier at Dartmouth, and at noon was still burning. Water and steam are being poured in through battened hatches and the fire was said to be well under control.

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OFFERS ADVICE ON DISARMAMENT

Secretary Daniels Would Like to See Permanent Agreement of All Nations—No Half-Way Measures Suitable

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—An international agreement "with all, or practically all, the nations which will guarantee an end of competition in navy building," was presented as the only alternative to the building by the United States "of a navy powerful enough "to command the respect and fear of the world," by Secretary Daniels today before the House naval affairs committee. The Navy Secretary, who appeared before the committee, dismissed as unworthy of discussion a third proposal for an American navy less than equal to the most powerful sea power in the world, "because it is a waste of money to spend money on an agency of war which would be helpless if needed."

Mr. Daniels took occasion to outline the advice which he would give to President-elect Harding, should he be asked for counsel on naval matters. This advice took the form of a suggestion that Mr. Harding immediately upon his inauguration invite the nations of the world to meet with representatives of the United States in a disarmament conference. Authority for such action was given by the naval appropriation act of 1916, he said.

"If President-elect Harding should do me the honor to ask my advice," declared Mr. Daniels, "I would unhesitatingly say to him: 'If the United States is not to become at once a member of the League of Nations, I believe some plan should be adopted at once to secure an agreement for a reduction of armaments. You will have the authority to call such a conference. You can act on March 5 and hasten the coming of the day when the taxpayers of this country and of all countries may be safely freed from the great burdens of war preparations. Until that conference secures world agreement, let there be no cessation; build the ships authorized by Congress.'"

Characterizing the naval holiday between United States, Great Britain and Japan provided for in the pending resolution introduced by Senator Borah of Idaho as a "half-way" measure, Mr. Daniels reiterated his opposition to this country's entering into such an agreement. It would be similar to an entente, and would arouse distrust, he said.

"Holidays indicate a cessation from work for a brief period with a view to returning to the old job when the holiday is over," Mr. Daniels said.

"The only wise course is to end competitive naval building, not for one year or five years, and not by a few nations, but for all time by all nations. The time is ripe for securing such an agreement now."

CALIFORNIA SUFFERS FROM HEAVY FROST

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Temperatures below the freezing point and killing frosts were general throughout California last night, endangering a vast quantity of ripening circus fruits and truck produce, the United States weather bureau reported today.

The record temperature for the night was on Mount Wilson, where it was but 18 degrees above zero at one period. Return of the frosts and low temperatures tonight and tomorrow morning is expected by the bureau.

Fruit and truck growers throughout the central and southern portions of the state have been warned to take precautions to save great damage.

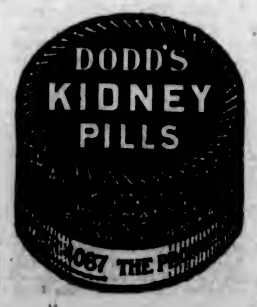
PREFERS LORD BYNG AS GOVERNOR-GENERAL

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—Under the caption, "Burnham or Byng," The Toronto Globe says this morning:

"If the question as to who shall be the representative of the Crown in this country is to be discussed publicly in the Northcliffe fashion, it is perhaps well to say that 99 out of every 100 Canadians would rather have Lord Byng than Lord Burnham. As leader of the Canadian troops, Sir Julian Byng came very closely into touch with the young manhood of the Dominion. He understands the Canadian people, and believes in the great destiny of this country. When he gave up the command of the corps he advised that General Currie, a Canadian, should be promoted. That gave evidence of a desire to recognize the equal status of Dominion and Imperial officers, which too few of the leaders of the old army displayed. Lord Byng is a somewhat retiring man, who might be at a disadvantage beside Lord Burnham in the social whirl, but he has the restraint and the dignity that fit him admirably for the great post occupied in times past by men of the calibre of Dufferin, Lansdowne, Stanley, Aberdeen and Devonshire."

Gets Time for Payment

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 11.—The French government has been granted a year's postponement of the payment of a balance of $17,000,000 of a credit of one billion dollars extended her by the Argentina government in 1919.



WIVES OF VETERANS OBTAIN INSTRUCTION

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Forty-five wives of returned soldiers holding land under the Soldiers' Land Settlement Board, from all parts of the province, arrived in Vancouver this morning to start on a special six weeks' course in agriculture and home economics at the B. C. University farm, Point Grey. They spent the morning registering at the office of the home branch of the S. S. B. and left at noon for the University.

The course will cover instruction along the lines of dairying, poultry, horticulture and home economics, and is designed to give wives the knowledge so necessary to them in their effort to co-operate with their soldier-farmer husbands.

JUDGMENT GIVEN IN UNION'S CASE

Mr. Justice Macdonald Renders Decision in Suit of Telephone Company and Electrical Wrokers' Brotherhood

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Judgment has been rendered by Mr. Justice Macdonald in the action of the B. C. Telephone Company against the International brotherhood of electrical workers, James P. Noonan, its president, Thomas E. Lee, international organizer, local union 213, and Edmund H. Morrison, the local's business agent. His Lordship has found in favor of the plaintiff company as against the brotherhood and international officers, but has dismissed the action as against local 213 and Mr. Morrison.

The case gave rise to considerable interest in labor circles when it was tried last October. The litigation resulted from the revocation of the charter of one of the brotherhood's other locals, No. 210, which the telephone company contended had the effect of terminating its agreement with that local and so preventing performance of terms in the contract.

Because of an earlier action of Morrison vs. Ingles, the international officials proceeded to compel the two locals here to amalgamate, but Lee and Noonan, the international officers, were not successful in this attempt, and No. 310 then negotiated its own agreement, with the sanction, as the judge finds, of the international president.

Concerning the company's allegations that local 213 threatened to declare it unfair, Mr. Justice Macdonald decided such was not supported by the evidence, and the injunction sought against the local has been refused. On the other hand, the brotherhood and international officers are permanently restrained from interfering with the company's agreement and also from revoking 310's charter.

MARRIAGE LAWS ARE CONSIDERED

Dealing With Report of Committee, Montreal Presbytery Protests Against Annulments at Behest of Church

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—The marriage laws of Quebec province formed the subject of a report which was presented to the Montreal Presbytery at its meeting here today by a committee which has been considering the legal position raised by various recent decisions of the courts, annulling mixed marriages.

After hearing the report and the statements of Rev. Dr. Hanson, a protest was formally entered against such annulments.

The report cited that part of the constitution of the Dominion, which states that "no foreign prince, person, prelate, state or potentate, spiritual or temporal, shall exercise or enjoy any manner of power, spiritual or ecclesiastical," and concluded therefrom that no decree of any ecclesiastical authority can have any force in this country.

The report added that the General Assembly should be memorialized to urge on the Federal Government the passing of a law which shall remove any possible doubt on the subject of mixed marriages.

The Presbytery further instructed other ministers to warn members and adherents of its churches against the perils of mixed marriages, the risks involved of the betrayal of the innocent, the repudiation of marriage vows, the breaking up of homes and the proselytizing of children.

A. E. WOOD SUSPECTED OF STEALING WATCH

ST. JOHN, N.B., Jan. 11.—From day to day little bits of information turn up about Albert E. Wood, self-confessed bogus V.C. winner, and erstwhile regimental sergeant-major.

A wire from the chief of police at Montreal asks the police here to obtain from Wood a watch belonging to a woman named Mrs. Jamieson, which he thought the man was in possession of. Wood displayed a watch on the day when he told his first story to Mayor Schofield, saying that it was given to him by his dying sister, and although he had sold every available article in order to keep alive, he could not bring himself to part with the watch.

General Nivelle Honored

PARIS, Jan. 11.—General Robert G. Nivelle has been awarded the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor.

U.S. Withdrawal Regretted

PARIS, Jan. 11.—Formal notification of the decision of the United States to withdraw its representatives from the Council of Ambassadors here has been communicated to Georges Leygues, Premier of France, by Hugh C. Wallace, American Ambassador. M. Leygues expressed deepest regret at the action.

AERONAUTS END TRIP WITH FIGHT

Encounter Occurs Between Lieuts. Farrell and Hinton After Arrival at Mattice—Trouble Arises Over Letter

MATTICE, Ont., Jan. 11.—The three American naval balloonists stranded near Hudson's Bay when their big bag descended after a flight from Rockaway, L.I., reached this railhead today after mushing from Moose Factory.

The officers, Lieuts. Louis A. Kloor, jr., of New Orleans, Walter Hinton, of Bell Harbor, N.Y., and Stephen A. Farrell, of New York, found a corps of newspapermen waiting to greet them when they entered this settlement at 3:30. All three officers were in excellent condition.

Lieutenants Walter Hinton and Stephen Farrell came to blows here this afternoon in a sensational climax to the American balloonists' trip, and only the interposition of the bystanders prevented a more serious finish to their differences.

Farrell had arrived shortly after his brother officers and had gone to the home of the Hudson's Bay manager, where he was talking to newspaper men who had come to interview him. During the relation of his story, Lieut. Hinton arrived and told Farrell not to speak until official messages had been sent to Washington, at the same time handing him a number of letters and telegrams.

In reading these, Farrell learned that Hinton, in a letter sent out, had written of Farrell in a manner which the latter resented, and he accused Hinton of sending out false information. Hinton admitted writing letters which were afterwards published in New York, but said they must have been exaggerated. Farrell was quick to retort, and emphasized his position by taking off his coat and squaring away for a fight. Farrell struck Hinton on the jaw and knocked him down. At this stage, friends and newspaper men intervened and the combat was avoided, but the officers parted without making up again.

The trouble arose over information regarding an alleged suggestion that he be sacrificed to aid the others, which Farrell said was made by Hinton in a letter which the latter wrote and which was published in New York. Hinton admitted authorship of the letter, but claimed in Farrell's presence that the statement had been greatly exaggerated in publishing. Later when Farrell had gone out the other man declared he had said this only to pacify his companion, and when the other returned more words passed between them.

Finally Farrell sent out a right upper-cut which caught Hinton on the jaw.

The latter staggered and fell over a table throwing up his hands. Farrell had his left ready to follow up, but Hinton would not fight.

Arthur Stevens, President of the Cochrane Board of Trade, who had come here to welcome the airmen to the North Country, intervened between the pugilistic officers and the scene was closed.

One important scientific fact has been discovered as a result of the American balloonists' trip to Moose Factory, Lieut. Kloor told the correspondents today on his arrival here. He explained that it had been demonstrated that a balloon with a capacity of 35,000 cubic feet could have buoyancy enough to travel 1,200 miles, something that had been thought impossible for a dirigible under 90,000 cubic feet capacity. The crew of the balloon had thrown away everything in the balloon to keep her up in the air, Lieut. Kloor said, including their instruments.

The naval officers confirmed the story already sent out that they had been traveling through the clouds most of the trip during their trip from Rockaway, and they had no idea of their location when they came down. In making the descent, the balloon struck a number of trees, before finally lodging in the topmost branches of one.

PREMIER OF ONTARIO SPEAKS OF FARMERS

HAMILTON, Ont., Jan. 11.—The farmer is least class conscious of any member of the community, Premier Drury declared in an address to the Canadian Club here last night. The farmers' movement, which had spread so surprisingly from coast to coast in Canada, Premier Drury said, was not born of political ambition, but born of a determination to better rural conditions.

He asserted that this was the sole aim of the farmer movement. Whatever misunderstanding there might be in the cities as to this, he wished to clear the public mind of any imputation of motive to the farmers, he said.

Speaking of rural depopulation, the Premier attributed it to the isolation of the farmer's life, difficulties connected with farming, the lack of conveniences and comforts on the farm—all these, he said, contributed to the migration of the farmers' sons to the cities.

PORK PRICE DROPS ON CHICAGO MARKET

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Fresh pork dropped in price today two to four cents a pound, making the total fall for loins ten cents a pound so far this year. Loins were quoted wholesale at 17 to 22 cents a pound.

Big receipts of hogs here, 75,000 head today and an equal number yesterday, were responsible for the break.

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London Banker Dead

LONDON, Jan. 11.—John B. Macnfee, banker and director in many corporations and widely known in the United States, died this morning following an operation. He was born in St. John's, Nfld., in 1861. Mr. Macnfee was chairman of the board of directors of the British-American Continental Bank, which suspended payment on January 6.

France's War Council

PARIS, Jan. 11.—Minister of War Raberti submitted to the Cabinet Council today for signature of the President a decree renewing the powers of the French Superior War Council for 1921. This council comprises Marshals Foch, Joffre and Petain, and several generals of the French army.

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Cooper's Blackberry Jam, 4-lb. tins	$1.08
Climax Jam (assorted), 4-lb. tins	85¢
Libby's Orange Marmalade, 3¾-lb. tins (net weight)	85¢
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Choice Lemons, good size, per dozen	28¢
Fresh Made Island Creamery Butter. While it lasts, at, per lb.	60¢
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QUEBEC TO HAVE NEW LIQUOR LAW

Measure Promised in Speech From Throne Will Give Government Larger Control—Other Important Legislation

QUEBEC, Jan. 11.—New legislation as to the sale of liquor is promised for the immediate future by the Quebec provincial government in the speech from the throne which was read at the opening of parliament today by Lieut.-Governor Sir Charles Fitzpatrick. The government admits that the present system of beer and wine licences and the sale of spirituous liquors by prescriptions in Montreal and the Scott Temperance Act in other cities of the province has been a failure, and proposes itself to take complete control of the traffic.

The speech indicates that a new railway will be constructed from the heart of the Temiskaming district to connect with main railway systems of the Dominion in furtherance of the provincial government's colonization projects for Northern Quebec. In this connection it is also stated that in order to afford settlers better facilities for acquiring arable lands, a bill will be submitted assigning to the colonization department the power to grant such lands and to completely separate them from forest domains. The establishment of a series of agricultural Dominion farms is also promised.

The speech further announced that a bill establishing a board of arbitration to prevent strikes among policemen, firemen and other public employees will be brought down, while a group insurance system and extension of the pension act to outside government employees will be submitted.

The government also announces the construction of a bridge to connect the mainland with the island of Montreal at Ile Perrot, on the road to Ottawa.

The financial position of the province will show, the speech stated, that revenue continues to exceed expenditures.

According to most reliable information, the liquor law will be settled as follows.

Wholesalers are to remain in possession of their present privileges, the government not deeming it right to deprive certain old established houses of such privileges. Besides that, these houses are agents for some of the large European firms, and the government could not very well interfere.

It is stated however, that the government has decided to take control of all the retail sale of liquor in the province, and as licenses are to be given, according to the law, before the first of February, the bill empowering the government to take hold of the liquor sales will be presented immediately.

According to the most reliable information, the government will appoint 25 agents for the city of Montreal and other agents for the rest of the province where the beer and wine laws exist. These agents will be paid at the rate of $4,000 a year, and will be under the control of the provincial treasury. For failing to fulfil the terms of their mandate imprisonment will be imposed for the first offense and the bond will be confiscated.

Hon. Mr. Taschereau, in his speech at the Place Viger hotel a month ago, stated that the percentage of wine and beer would be increased so as to allow the importation of first-class wines. This means that as soon as the law is passed, French wines, including champagnes, may be imported into the province of Quebec legally.

Hon. Senator Beaubien, who is now in Europe, has assured the French Government that importation of their wines would be allowed into Canada.

ONTARIO MINISTER DEFEATS BANDITS

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—Hon. R. H. Grant, minister of education, came off victorious last night in a struggle with two bandits who held him up immediately in front of the provincial parliament buildings at 9:15 p.m.

Mr. Grant, who is a man of 60, suffered the loss of his eyeglasses and received a cut on his temple and another on his nose and an ugly lump under his left eye, but his assailants were put to flight, and the minister, with his broken walking stick and a revolver which one of the thugs had threatened him with, as trophies of the fight, proceeded to his office in the parliament buildings.

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STEEL WORKERS FIGHT REDUCTION IN WAGES

SYDNEY, N.S., Jan. 11.—That they will fight by every means in their power the 20 per cent wage reduction ordered last Saturday by the Dominion Iron and Steel Corporation was evidenced at a mass meeting of the steel workers' union here last night. Speaker after speaker took the floor and declared that there was nothing in either the cost or price of steel or in the trend of the cost of living to justify the drastic cut proposed by the steel corporation.

An effort will be made to induce the company to change its announced purpose of making the 20 per cent reduction, but if this fails, an interview with the Federal Government will be sought. An interview with the corporation management will be arranged tomorrow.

PREMIER OF ALBERTA UNDERGOES OPERATION

EDMONTON, Jan. 11.—Premier Charles Stewart of Alberta, was operated on at the Royal Alexandra Hospital at 4:30 o'clock this morning for appendicitis. His condition is now reported to be favorable, and a satisfactory recovery is expected.

The period of convalescence will, however, necessarily be a somewhat prolonged one, and the session of the legislature, which was called to meet January 26, will be postponed for at least two to three weeks.

BEGIN OFFENSIVE AGAINST TURKS

Greek Forces Attack Mustapha's Nationalists in Asia Minor — Reports of Successes and Reverses

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The Greek offensive in Asia Minor resulted in important successes for the Greek forces, according to the Greek communique dated Sunday, received by the Greek legation here today.

"The Greek forces in the Brussa sector," says the communique, "attacked Kemalist formations east of Enighlo, dispersed and pursued them, taking fifty prisoners, including the commandant, and a large quantity of ammunition.

"The Greeks dispersed the enemy at Banas and Sbashpik. Pursuing their advance, the Greeks caused the enemy to retire in disorder on Eskishehr (the important Bagdad Railway junction leading to Angora, situated 80 miles southeast of Ismid.) The Greeks took 150 prisoners and captured a quantity of material."

Greek forces, says a dispatch to The London Times from Smyrna, are advancing in three columns, nineteen miles north of Banza. Two divisions have received orders to proceed to Ushak (55 miles northeast of Alashehr and 140 miles east of Smyrna, in Asia Minor) as supporting forces.

ROME, Jan. 10.—Fighting between the Turks and Greeks is reported in the Menderes (Meander) River region of Asia Minor. Many wounded have arrived in Smyrna.

The Greeks started the attack, but the Turks pierced the Greek lines in several places.

The arrival of King Constantine in Asia Minor is reported to be imminent.

FINED FOR FAILING TO REPORT INCOMES

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 11.—R. K. Sangster, J. P. McMurphy, Kenneth Mackenzie and Ed. Falch were each fined $100 and costs in the police court this morning by Magistrate Edmonds for failure to make a return of their income in 1918 when such information was demanded of them by formal notification last Fall. This is the minimum fine prescribed by the act.

Five other cases were adjourned, the names of the accused being Reeve T. J. Sullivan, of Surrey; Percy Dauphinee, B. J. Gernaey, F. N. Johnston, and Clifford Kerr. Other prosecutions, it is understood, are pending.

NEW PROVISION MADE FOR DISABLED MEN

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—New specific provision is made for the relief of disabled returned soldiers and their families in an order-in-council which has just been passed. It is not to be a cash grant, but provision is made for outlays up to $75 a month for the head of the family and an allowance for each dependent child.

This assistance will be applied to the purchase of food or fuels and payment of reliefs, etc. In each case inquiry will be made by the social service branch of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, acting in conjunction with local commands of the G.W.V.A.

WHEAT PRICES FALL BUT FLOUR GOES UP

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Following last week's advance of 20 cents per barrel in the price of flour, local dealers have received notification to boost their wholesale quotations another 50 cents.

This brings the barrel price on 98-s jute in carload lots to a basis of $11.55.

Founded on Misapprehension

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—Cabled advices from London that the Canadian Government has offered a Walsall firm exemption from land tax as an offer to transfer its factory to Canada are regarded here as being founded on a misapprehension. The Canadian Government does not impose any such tax on land and therefore could not grant an exemption. It is presumed that the offer was made by some municipal government.

Two Bandits Get $28,000

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—Two bandits slugged a messenger just as he was emerging from the Produce Exchange Bank today, seized a satchel containing $20,000 in cash and $8,000 in cheques and made their escape in an automobile.

Don't forget the number is 1.

IMMIGRATION LAW PREVENTS RETURN

Vancouver Woman Who Was Married in Seattle, Though British Subject, Finds Herself Barred Out of Canada

SEATTLE, Jan 11.—Technical provisions of the Canadian immigration laws have marooned Mrs. Max Robin, formerly Mrs. Mary Volinsky, wealthy Vancouver, B.C., woman, in Seattle with her six children, all of school age or younger. She is trying to reenter Canada from where she came to Seattle to spend the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. G. Gromet, 211 Seventeenth Avenue.

United States immigration authorities can do nothing for Mrs. Robin. Her case is being taken up with the Canadian Government in Ottawa by Attorney Simon L. Weiner, of Seattle, in an effort to get permission for her to return to Vancouver, where she has lived for the last twelve years, that she may place her children in school again.

Mrs. Robin came to Seattle last December 21, with her children, as Mrs. Volinsky, and while here was married on January 1 to Max Robin, a British citizen, born in Egypt, and who came to Seattle recently from Australia. She thus became a subject of Great Britain and lost her Canadian citizenship.

There is provision of the Canadian laws, Attorney Weiner said this morning, which prevents a British subject from entering Canada excepting directly from England, or with a passport. Mrs. Robin, of course, did not need a passport when she came here as Mrs. Volinsky.

On January 4 Mrs. Robin attempted to return to Vancouver. She was barred. She was forced to return with her husband and children to the home of Mrs. Gromet here.

Attorney Weiner said this morning that unless he can gain permission of the Government in Ottawa, Mrs. Robin may be forced to return to England, or to appeal to the British Government in London.

GENERAL SMUTS LIKELY TO WIN

Conclusion Reached by Hon. N.W. Rowell on His Recent Visit to South Africa—Issue Between Parties

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—"The election pending in South Africa is not only the most important in the history of that colony, but one of the most vital in the history of the British Empire. So far as I can judge from information I received while there, I believe that General Smuts will win out," said Hon. N. W. Rowell, addressing the Canadian Club at noon today on the problems of the British Empire in Africa.

Mr. Rowell spent three months in South Africa after he left Canada last July, studying the whole situation closely, before his participation in the historic Geneva conference of the League of Nations, where, as one of Sir George Foster's party, he played a prominent part.

"The issue defined by General Smuts, now leader of the United South African and Unionist parties, is whether South Africa will remain with the British Empire and find her future as one of the free-self-governing dominions, or become an independent, uninfluential republic," said Mr. Rowell.

"The real fight is between the parties led by General Smuts and the Nationalists, under the leadership of General Herzog, who has always been inimical toward the British Empire."

Danger in Persia

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The British legation in Teheran, Persia, has ordered the immediate evacuation by the British women and children of Persia in view of the announced withdrawal of the British forces in Northwest Persia and its threatened sequel, a Bolsheviki invasion, says a dispatch to the Daily News from Teheran.

Probable Date of Session

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—Thursday, February 10, was discussed, it is understood, at this morning's meeting of the Cabinet Council as the date for the opening of Parliament. There was no definite date reached, however.

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PROTEST DISMISSALS FROM WHEAT BOARD

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—Telegrams have been received here from Winnipeg protesting that between sixty and seventy returned soldiers have been dismissed from the Wheat Board.

The matter is being investigated, but it is pointed out that the Wheat Board ceased active operations in September. Since then it has simply been adjusting business of the previous year, and it is presumed that with the lessening of the work the staff is being reduced.

Krassin Makes Efforts

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Leonid Krassin, the Bolshevik representative here, had two more interviews yesterday with Sir Robert Horne, president of the Board of Trade, apparently in an endeavor to straighten out difficulties concerning gold payments by Russia for goods purchased and to shape the trade agreement so that it will be more acceptable to the Moscow government.

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PRESENT-DAY PROBLEMS

Notwithstanding the optimism of the poet, "all is not well with the world." Certainly all is not as well as it might be or as most people would like to see it. There are many problems to face, but the chief one at present is that of unemployment. Conditions in all countries appear to be about the same. The nations which took little part in the war, or no part at all, are just as seriously affected as those which spent fabulous sums of money and lost millions of lives in a herculean effort to stem the tide of a menacing autocracy. Canada was an active participant in the conflict and her sacrifices both in men and treasure were great, and yet she is probably suffering loss than other countries which were not so active during the great conflict. This peculiar state of affairs is indicative of the intimacy of the relations which prevail throughout the world today. The misfortunes of one nation are reflected in the business of every other nation.

Men who make a specialty of deduction in the business and social relations of life are striving to account for prevailing conditions. The facts that confront them and prove very puzzling are these: The population of the world was reduced by millions during the years of the war and yet the reduced number of workers cannot find all the work required to keep their hands busy. Production of the necessary things of life was brought almost to a standstill in many countries during the war period, and yet now that the sword is sheathed and idle, markets cannot be found for the surplus of goods on the market. The circumstances therefore are paradoxical. One authority thinks the evil—for it is admittedly an unfortunate thing—may be ascribed to the unwillingness of the public to purchase goods at prevailing prices. Hence industries are obliged to close down and await a season of greater public liberality. Another learned person appeals to the facts of history and quotes authorities to prove that seasons of inactivity and depression in business are the inevitable consequences that follow in the wake of war. Still another draws conclusions from more immediate data. He believes that the fall in the price of wheat is the chief factor in the situation as it affects Canada, as it has dried up the fountains of business on the Prairies, which he believes to be the heart of commercialism in Canada. The Prairie farmer is said actually to have lost money on the past season's operations, as he is receiving less for his crops than it cost to buy seed and reap the harvest.

However, circumstances, whatever they are, cannot be mitigated by theories. The conditions are what they are, and we must simply tolerate them until a brighter day dawns. We believe that as far as Canada is concerned that day is not far distant. It is at hand. The sun of prosperity will shine as effulgently as ever during the current year, and it will be particularly bright in this portion of Canada, a thrice blessed section of the universe.

BUSINESS READJUSTMENT

A very few months ago the charge was laid against the people of the world that they were giving themselves over on a large scale to frivolity and pleasure. A Bishop of an Eastern church alleged that mankind is also shirking its work and its religious obligations. Possibly there may be something in both allegations; but there is some evidence that pleasure and frivolity are not manifesting themselves as they formerly did. People are not travelling up and down upon the face of the earth and regaling their eyes and their fancy with new things. The great steamship companies operating on the Atlantic Ocean have had substantial evidence of the truth of this statement. They are carrying such a diminished number of passengers that all the greatest of their ships are going to be retired for the Winter or until conditions once more become normal. The railways of this continent are undergoing a similar disconcerting experience. They are not carrying the number of passengers they were wont to transport. Neither is the volume of freight by either land or water anywhere nearly equal to what it was a few months ago. The public was exhorted to economize. It did not pay a great deal of heed to the injunction for a long time, but it is economizing now—probably to a greater extent than is healthy for business. It is doing its bit in the task of restoring business to a normal condition. We have felt the effects of this action in a more modified degree in Victoria probably than in any other part of the world, and the indications are that the process of adjustment is nearer completion here than elsewhere. Business, all things considered, is in a healthy condition, and the prospects for the future are all that can be desired.

IT IS THE CLIMATE

The sun is low in the heavens and there is a slight nip of frost in the air; we are in the midst, almost, of the Winter solstice, and yet floral specimens are still appearing almost daily on the editorial desk. Just to prove that cultivated plants are not the only kind that thrive exceedingly at all seasons of the year in this very pleasant land and genial clime, we have had placed before us a bunch of wild strawberry plants in bloom. They were picked yesterday on Little Saanich Mountain by Mr. A. E. Myers. The companions of those modest plants probably are not destined to develop into full fruit and thus to contribute to the provender of the fowls of the air which are plentiful in the district which is their local habitation, because there may be some days yet of rude weather to sap their premature vitality and remind them that fruits are brought forth only in their due season even in the southern portions of Vancouver Island. But to look upon them is refreshing to the eye and suggests that something of value to the world may be accomplished by a display of courage and endurance even in the most untoward circumstances. These may be esteemed as trivial things to comment upon in the columns of a journal whose chief function is to deal with the doings of men and the effects of their operations upon the destinies of nations; but even the most trifling things contain lessons for those who read understandingly, and order their thoughts accordingly.

The Dutch appear to have grown tired of the presence of the ex-Kaiser and the heir to all his late Imperial possessions. Newspapers of the country declare that the objectionable immigrants may pack up their traps and go whenever they feel inclined and that the departure will be considered a good riddance. It seems that certain intrigues are being conducted which threaten the internal and external relations of Holland, and the stolid Dutchmen are becoming disturbed in mind regarding the possible result. But it seems to us that the Hollanders gave certain undertakings to the Allies when a demand was made for the surrender of the Hohenzollerns. They became, to some extent at least, sponsors for the behaviour of their undesirable guests, and they may be expected to redeem their pledges. Their obligations would not be observed by turning the fugitives loose in regions which contain the possibilities of mischief.

The great newspapers of the United States, that is the newspapers which may be considered as wielding any considerable influence, all have declared that insurgency having its roots in foreign sources must not be imported and brought into action in that country. The government of the United States has not as yet made any decision on the subject, and it is the only instrument capable of effective action. The fact is well known that German agencies are at work in the neighboring republic and that their object is to create a rupture in the good relations that at present exist, and we hope long will continue to exist, between Great Britain and the United States. The incendiaries, however, draw the sustenance which enables them to agitate, and sometimes to resort to violence, from this side of the water, and they fear that if they do not do something that will attract attention the sources of supply will dry up.

A distinguished British physician, and a Londoner at that, has discovered the long-sought secret of how to enjoy life even though the snows of many Winters may have rested upon the head. He says a man usually grows old because he thinks it is dignified. "He sits back and lets the years do what they like with him." That is a mistake. The old man should not do it. He should grapple with Time and overcome the old rascal. He should dance defiance in the face of the enemy and overcome him. Modern dances are not fitted for that greatest of life's battles. They are poor shuffling inane things compared with step dances, but reels and strathspeys are good, and the Highland Fling is the best of all. It fires the heels and kindles new life in the heart. It makes you think, and, "as a man thinketh, so is he." Therefore, dance like Cuttie Sark as she whirled to the piping of the d'ell in Alloway's Auld Haunted Kirk, and long life will be your portion. "Throw physic to the dogs," and take real physic in the form of exercise—possibly even golf would be better than nothing—and you will enjoy the good things Providence has provided. The distinguished physician is 70 years old.

It is a trifle premature to assume that Mayor O'Callaghan will be deported. His case is going to the courts, and the judiciary of the United States is not noted for the celerity with which it dispatches business. Mr. O'Callaghan's sojourn in the United States may be of indefinite duration.

In some of the activities of life matters are again becoming normal. The flurry in shipbuilding is over and Great Britain leads the world in that great and important industry. In fact she is constructing more vessels than all the rest of the world in combination.

Women are gradually attaining to the full measure of citizenship. Some of them are to be summoned for jury duty at the Old Bailey, a historic London court. Mere men will not envy them that task; but citizenship carries its duties and responsibilities.

The Fourth Estate is gradually coming into its own. We have a newspaperman as Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia, and another is mentioned as likely to succeed the Duke of Devonshire as the Governor-General of Canada.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Cost of Water

Sir,—I am personally sorry that none of the Saanich officials have been able to find more than one criticism on the figures and statements I have already made public re the present by-law. I am in favor of any district getting water on the terms so many Gordon Head representatives state to the public. Some of the reports in the papers are as follows: "Mr. K. C. Campbell assured the meeting Gordon Head was willing to pay for the water and did not wish service on any other basis." Mr. T. Walker: "You are only asked one thing, reciprocity." Reeve Watson: "This is incontrovertible; this extension of the system will not cost you one cent!" All of these statements are voluntarily given in the very face of the official figures, which show that to pay for this extension they intend to take from the profits on the present water service the sum of: In 1922, $6,713.02; in 1923, $7,735.02; and in 1924, $8,072.02. This is as far as the official figures go. The terms of the by-law and these sentiments as stated do not agree. Surely the electors of Saanich have a right to know the facts of the case before voting on the by-law one week hence.

In reference to the statement appearing in this morning's Colonist, I am quoted as saying that Mr. Cowper said more than he did say. The Colonist report of Friday morning says: "But lest some Gordon Head people should be misled, Mr. Cowper informs me that 'for the purposes of assessment an actual 400 feet would be assessed as 500 feet and would pay $20.00.' I then added as my own observation—or a straight 5 cents per foot." Since the paper gives only an unsubstantiated denial, just like the Gordon Head affirmations, I am left slightly in the dark as to the objection. However, I will re-state the whole thing more fully and will then ask either Reeve Watson or Clerk Cowper to make a public correction of my figures. I am not trying to misquote any one, but am trying to get at facts.

As far as quoting Clerk Cowper while that official was absent, let me say that Reeve Watson and the Gordon Head delegation were all present when it was said. These exponents of the by-law had a full opportunity to explain, and said nothing. Whether Clerk Cowper said so or not is beside the question. The issue is: "Are the figures correct?"

At Monday's council meeting when I used 52,000 as the number of feet of road to be served by the water extension, Mr. Cowper informed me that while this was (roughly) the actual number of feet, yet they figured on 66,000 assessable feet from this base. (I am not trying to quote Mr. Cowper verbatim, but to give the gist of the explanation.)

That is, the assessable feet is about one-quarter more than the actual feet. Hence 400 feet would be assessed as 500 feet and would then pay $20.00. Here I made the observation that it would be difficult to convince the Gordon Head resident that his 400 feet should be assessed as 500 feet. Perhaps I have failed to grasp Mr. Cowper's explanation, and if so I would like it made public. As far as I can see this 66,000 does not mean both sides of the road, for the official estimates really call for 132,000 assessable feet. That is, in 1921 it is estimated that there shall be a revenue of $5,280.00, or at 4 cents per foot, 132,000 feet. This, of course, is only a side issue, but one which, for the common good, would be well to have officially cleared up.

If Mr. K. C. Campbell means anything by his remarks, he must agree with me that the by-law should be stated in different terms, so as to conform with his statements.

As far as Mr. T. Walker's reciprocity is concerned, let us examine facts as given. Reeve Watson says in his recently published report: "Since the establishment of the Water Works system at Saanich it has, so to speak, stood on its own legs—only those ratepayers who actually use the water or have the opportunity of use have ever paid one cent towards the cost or maintenance." As far as the present water area is concerned there were two sources of guarantee for the cost. The first was the water area itself, and the second the credit of the Municipality, which according to the Reeve's report has not paid "one cent."

The Gordon Head extension looks towards three sources of guarantee. First, their own rates; second, the profits of the present water area; and third, the credit of the Municipality. Mr. Walker helped us by giving us the credit of the Municipality at large; we are quite willing to help Mr. Walker that way also, but besides this he wants all the profits we are going to have for some years to come. That is not the general meaning of reciprocity.

Reeve Watson's words, "This is incontrovertible, this extension of the system will not cost you one cent. On the contrary, if the policy of this Council is continued you will pay less next year," is more subtle and misleading. As Reeve Watson left it, it implies a profit to us from Gordon Head at once. This is absurd. The fact is that every house in the present water area started paying an extra fifty cents a month for water service last year. This increased cost is now bringing in such profits that it would be possible to reduce our "frontage rate" and have a surplus besides. Reeve Watson means that if Gordon Head takes this surplus it will not cost us anything. Surely Reeve Watson is not in the habit of doing business that way!

As far as our present water area is concerned, it can get along very well without this by-law. By keeping our frontage rate at 5 cents per foot as at present instead of dropping to 3 cents as mooted by some, would mean about $6,000 or $7,000. When this is added to the $6,000 to $8,000 to be taken from our profits and put into the Gordon Head extension, we find about $14,000, or almost as much as was necessary for carrying on water extensions in this area last year. Hence the argument that the present water area needs this by-law falls to the ground.

Personally, I deplore the fact that the Gordon Head delegation has said nothing but "sob stuff" to us, while they have left the burden of giving real information to a busy official hid behind the doors of the municipal hall.

R. E. COLLIS,
345 Gorge Rd., West.

Effects of Confederation

Sir,—With reference to my article on Vancouver Island in The Colonist of 9th inst., I should be glad if you would kindly allow me to correct the following statement, namely, "that there was more real trade and shipping, more commerce in this port over fifty years ago in the free trade years of the '60's than there is today." It should, of course, have read "per capita," but I am afraid that even that would not have been correct, as according to the authorities, owing principally to the reaction after the collapse of the Cariboo gold mining excitement, there was at that time a general and serious depression in Victoria. I hasten to correct this error, for, although it has no very material bearing on the issue of today, the whole matter is too important to permit of any misleading statements in discussing it.

I think I am right in saying that, although a number of large wholesale houses established their business here on the strength of free trade, such policy scarcely had time to have a fair trial, and most of these people withdraw after a tariff was adopted.

However that may be, and I have found that there are serious differences of opinion with regard to some of the most important incidents in the past history of the Province, we are not very much concerned with what happened fifty years ago. The question is, after all, what is the best policy for us today.

In view of the fact that Vancouver city has taken up the matter of a free port area, and its member has pledged himself to bring it before the House of Commons at the next session, and that in Seattle also there is an agitation for a similar project, it is certainly high time that we bestirred ourselves and that the whole vital problem as it affects the Island should be fully and impartially inquired into, and our course of action with reference thereto decided and acted upon without delay.

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Women's Silk Poplin Skirts, made in smart styles with deep belt and pockets; black and colors; sizes 25 to 29. Reg. $7.95. This morning only... $5.95

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Regular $3.59 to $4.89 Scotch Net Curtains, per pair, $2.98.
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CITY'S CRIME RECORD MAKES BETTER SHOWING

In Past Year Number of Cases Dealt With in Local Police Court Showed Marked Falling Off

There was a marked falling off in crime in the city during the past year as compared with the preceding twelve months, if the records of the department, as compiled by Jailer Hall, are any indication of the decrease in criminality among the population of the city. In his annual statement just compiled, Jailer Hall states that there were a total of 1,117 cases dealt with in the Police Court in 1920, compared with 1,417 in 1919, the comparison being as follows:

	1920	1919
Convictions	755	943
Sent up for trial	14	15
Discharged	162	283
Unsound mind	21	30
Safe-keeping	163	196
Total	1117	1417

The offences in which whites were dealt with were classified as follows: Abominable crime, 2; Adulteration Act, 1; aiding theft, 1; Animals Act, 2; assault, 25; assaulting the police, 2; assisting to conduct lottery, 5; attempting to steal motor, 1; attempting abominable crime, 2; attempted indecent assault, 1; attempting to obtain money by false pretence, 1; bigamy, 1; breaking and entering, 1; carrying concealed weapons, 3; carnal knowledge, 1; infractions of city by-laws, 50; conducting a lottery, 3; corrupting public morals, 1; cutting and wounding, 1; wife desertion, 6; drunkenness, 283; escaping from lawful custody, 1; failing to provide for wife and family, 1; fighting, 2; forgery, 2; found in gaming house, 37; found in opium den, 2; fraudulently obtaining food and lodging at hotel, 2; Game Act, 1; grievous bodily harm, 5; Harbor regulations, 1; Health Act, 1; indecent assault, 4; indecent exposure, 3; Indian Act, 1; Immigration Act, 1; keeping gaming house, 3; malicious injury to property, 3; Medical Act, 4; Minimum Wage Act, 1; Motor Act, 103; obtaining money by false pretence, 9; obtaining goods by false pretence, 6; obstructing sheriff, 1; Opium and Drug Act, 7; in possession of stolen property, 7; Prohibition Act, 105; receiving stolen goods, 2; robbery from the person, 1; School Act, 1; stealing, 42; threatening language, 3; fortune-telling, 1; vagrancy, 27.

Chinese cases numbered 129, classified as follows: Assault, 1; attempting to bribe officer, 1; attempted rape, 1; breaking and entering, 1; Chinese Immigration Act, 1; city by-laws, 5; conducting a lottery, 1; failing to pay sales tax, 3; found in opium den, 58; highway robbery, 1; Indian Act, 4; Inland Revenue Act, 3; Inspection and Sales Act, 2; keeping gaming house, 3; keeping opium joint, 4; Motor Act, 3; Opium and Drug Act, 13; perjury, 1; in possession of stolen property, 6; publishing false advertisement, 2; stealing, 6; vagrancy, 3. Indians charged numbered 36, of whom 31 were charged with drunkenness and 5 for being in possession of intoxicants.

The nationality of the defendants were as follows:

	1920	1919
Whites	922	1082
Indians	44	34
Chinese	151	301
Total	1117	1417

The number of accidents reported during the year was 214, compared with 234 in 1919, and first aid was given by members of the force in 161, compared with 174 in the previous year. Motor accidents reported to the police in writing totalled 1,253, compared with 1,203 in the previous twelve months.

The motor patrol responded to a total of 1,928 calls in the year, compared with 1,956 in 1919.

BLOODSHED RESULTS FROM INDIAN RIOTING

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Much bloodshed has resulted from the rioting of the peasantry in the Rai Bareli district, southwest of Lucknow, India, it is reported in news dispatches today. Strong reinforcements of armed police have been dispatched to the affected region, where parties of villagers have been destroying crops and causing other damage.

The military is held in readiness, but will not be employed except as a last resource, it is declared.

The cause of the trouble is said to be the attempts of the landlords to suppress "soviets" established by the tenants, who allege that they have been denied certainty of tenure in their land holdings and have been forced to submit to illegal extortions.

Captain Matthew Webb in 1875 was the first man to succeed in attempting to swim across the English channel.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The British Colonist of January 12, 1871).

A Pleasant Party—The Bachelor's Ball at the Alhambra last evening was largely attended by ladies and gentlemen, and was really one of the most sociable affairs of the season. Capt. Herbert and officers of H.M.S. Scylla, Captain, Mist, and officers of H.M.S. Sparrowhawk, Capt. Delacombe, R.M.L.I., of San Juan Island; Staff Commander Pender, officers of H.M.S. gunboat Boxer, and many prominent citizens with their wives and daughters attended. The entertainment was given by a number of young bachelors in return for hospitality extended to them from families of this city; and the bachelors demonstrated last evening that they are well qualified to act the host. The music was excellent and the dancing was continued until an early hour this morning.

The dangerous hole in Douglas Street, between Johnson and Pandora, still exists. A fine opening for an enterprising man who wishes to secure a start in life through the recovery of damages from the corporation.

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SAYS INFECTED MEAT IS NOT BEING SOLD

Dr. Price Claims Only Properly Inspected Carcasses Offered for Sale—New Legislation Unnecessary

Denial that infected meat is being sold in Victoria, and declaration that there is no need to strengthen existing legislation are contained in a special report submitted Monday night to the City Council by Medical Health Officer Arthur G. Price.

Dr. Price drew up his report in response to the agitation started by the B. C. Anti-Tuberculosis Society for Federal enactment to prevent sale for human consumption of cattle condemned for tuberculosis.

"Provincial legislation dealing with the slaughter of animals affected with disease and with carcasses and meat of such animals is contained in the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, and the Sanitary Regulations of July, 1917," stated Dr. Price.

"The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act of 1911, Sec. 18, deals with animals affected with tuberculosis and states, 'that such animals shall be either quarantined or slaughtered, and the carcasses disposed of as the Inspector shall prescribe.' The Sanitary Regulations of 1917, Sec. 48, states, 'that no animal affected with an infectious or contageous disease shall be kept within British Columbia.' Sec. 31 of Sanitary Regulations states, "The meat of emaciated or wasted animals, or meat found to be diseased shall be considered unfit for food of man.' Sec. 30 states, 'When meat or carcasses are condemned as being unfit for human food they shall not be offered for sale unless by permission of the local Medical Health Officer or Provincial Board of Health.'

May Destroy Carcasses.

"Further, under provisions of the Health Act, Sec. 59, 'an authorized Inspector may seize and destroy any carcass or meat which may appear to him to be diseased or unsound or unfit for food of man; and if such meat had been exposed for sale, the person to whom it belonged at the time of exposure for sale, or in whose possession it was, or on whose premises it was found, shall be liable, on conviction, to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars.'

"The present method of dealing with cattle affected with tuberculosis, is to slaughter the animal as soon as it is found by the Veterinary Inspector to be affected with tuberculosis. Compensation to the amount of $50.00 is offered to the owner of the carcass which if he accepts, the carcass is destroyed, but if he does not accept the compensation, he retains possession of the carcass and the Veterinary Inspector takes no further action. The owner however may not sell the carcass for any purpose whatever without permission to do so from the local Medical Health Officer or Provincial Board of Health.

"By the system of meat inspection followed in Victoria since the addition of the meat inspection clauses to the City's Health By-law early last year, all is being done that is possible for the prevention of sale of affected beef in the city. No carcass of beef may be offered for sale in Victoria which has not been inspected, together with the lungs, and which does not bear the stamp of an inspector recognized by your Medical Health Officer showing that such meat has been inspected and judged to be free from disease.

"During the last two months your Sanitary Inspector has inspected 559 carcasses of beef for sale in Victoria, and no beef carcass has been found exposed for sale in any store which did not bear the recognized stamp either of the Board of Health or of the Dominion Inspector.

Inspection Is Effective.

"The system of meat inspection followed in Victoria is already effectually accomplishing the aim of the resolution submitted by the Anti-Tuberculosis Society, and I therefore feel that the resolution is not applicable to Victoria, and it seems to me that there are already ample provisions in the statues to accomplish the aim of the resolution, to protect the public against the sale of tuberculous meat, if the responsible authorities will apply them.

"It seems superfluous to endorse this resolution in its present form which petitions for legislation that already exists. I would rather suggest that if a petition be sent to the Provincial Secretary, it be one asking for a revision of the present enactments concerning the subject, so that the clauses, instead of being scattered in different Acts and Regulations, might be embodied clearly and concisely in one section. Such a revision would be advantageous both in making the law more easily understood and more readily enforced in the interests of the prevention of tuberculosis."

Palestine's most ancient name was Canaan.

MR. JOHN JARDINE AFTER INFORMATION

But Esquimalt Reeve Stalls Off Demand of His Opponent for Office—"Slimy Stuff," He Declares

"Slimy stuff" was how Reeve Lockley, of Esquimalt, characterized the effort made last night by Mr. John Jardine at the regular meeting of the municipal council, to secure information regarding payments and other data in relation to the erection of a dwelling under the provisions of the Better Housing Act.

Mr. Jardine, in the course of the discussion, emphatically denied any desire on his part to raise political capital out of his request. He based his demand for information upon his status as a rate-payer, and while Reeve Lockley was willing to recognise the merit of the claim, Mr. Jardine's request was not immediately granted. Instead it will be referred to the Municipal Solicitor who will advise the Clerk whether or not the Council is justified in acquiescing in the request.

Seeks Enlightment.

Mr. Jardine proferred his request in the form of a lengthy communication in which he set forth that on Saturday last he had applied through his solicitor for information relative to payments made by the Corporation under the Better Housing Act in connection with a house built by the Esquimalt Building & Contracting Company, Limited, for Mr. Root. He had been informed by the Municipal Clerk that all payments had been made in accordance with the terms of the contract, but when he asked to see the declaration or affidavit which had, he understood, been filed with the Council setting forth that all bills due the contractor in connection with the work had been duly paid, his request was refused as well as that for the date when the affidavit was filed.

"It was no doubt refused under the belief that the information was required for election purposes. I am free to confess it was required by me that the public should know just how their affairs are being conducted, and I cannot see why such information should be denied to anyone if there was nothing to hide," continued Mr. Jardine's epistle, which proceeded to ask was it a fact that all moneys due by the Municipality to the Esquimalt Building & Contracting Company, Limited, under the contract had been paid; if so, when and to whom, and whether, before the final payment was made, was there an affidavit filed in the offices of the Municipality stating that all bills and accounts had already been paid by the contractor? Further, was the Council aware that up to Saturday last at 11 a. m. one of the accounts for work done on the house had not been paid?

Possibilities.

"This being the case, it is clear that if the Municipality has paid the contractor all the moneys due the Municipality has paid money under false pretences and some person is liable for the misrepresentations which have been made," said the communication.

Mr. Jardine was present at last night's meeting in person when his communication was read.

"Last Saturday our clerk told me application had been made by Mr. Yates, or some other solicitor of Victoria, for information concerning this contract and the clerk had refused on the ground that he had no authority to give it," explained Reeve Lockley to the members of the Council. "I told the clerk the papers should not be shown, that they were the property of this Corporation, and that if any accusation were made it would be against the Council which could deal with it. The clerk acted under my instructions. On the application being renewed, I made inquiries and it is quite right that one bill had not been settled. A sub-contractor it appears, had not paid for certain materials and a small amount had been withheld by the contractors in case of a lien being placed against the property. Since then, this amount has been paid, and this morning receipts were placed in the hands of the engineer for every cent of work done or materials secured. That is as far as we, as a Council, are interested," concluded the Reeve with emphasis.

"I suppose anyone, any ratepayer, may look at these papers," mildly suggested a councilman.

"If he feels he is justified in making a charge, let him do it. We act on the certificate of the engineer that everything is proper," snapped Reeve Lockley, who continued: "Last year we had a good deal of this slimy stuff. It is unfortunate to have these mis-constructions placed on our actions merely for election purposes."

Councillor Bridle saw nothing to fear in granting Mr. Jardine's request provided that what the Reeve had stated was correct. He moved that the clerk be instructed to give the information sought.

"It's Peculiar," He Says.

"It looks peculiar, coming at our last meeting and just before an election," commented Councillor Mesher.

Mr. Jardine intervened to remark that he had no intention to cast any reflections upon anyone. All he wanted to know was the date on which the affidavit setting forth that all accounts in connection with the contract had been made by the contracting company had been filed, and the date of the final payment.

Reeve Lockley asserted the subcontractor who had had the small amount, some $39, withheld because he had not paid for all materials bought by him, was an honest working man whose name he would regret to see made public. "You have some reasons for asking these questions," he said to Mr. Jardine.

"Not at all. I make no charges against anyone. But a ratepayer has a right to get the facts. If you refuse, well it's your business, not mine. As a ratepayer I demand to see those papers," retorted Mr. Jardine.

To a suggestion by one of the councillors that Mr. Jardine should get the information asked for, Reeve Lockley declared: "There was a lot of talk last year at this time which brought this town and district into disrepute. We don't want it again."

Finally it was decided to hand Mr. Jardine's communication over to the Municipal Solicitor for advice as to whether the Council would be within its right to give the information asked for.

Mr. Jardine wanted to know if he could expect the information the following day, but Reeve Lockley replied that the Council would have to await the solicitor's opinion.

"Well, time is the essence of the contract," declared Mr. Jardine, whose desire to have the information prior to election day was manifest.

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LAST MEETING LACKS TRADITIONAL TOUCH

Final Meeting of 1920 City Council Terminated Without One Complimentary Speech Being Made

The City Council of 1920 held its valedictory meeting Monday night and rushed through a somewhat formidable agenda in an hour and a half. Mayor Porter was evidently intent upon making it a record-breaker for speed, and so much momentum was gathered by the time the last piece of business was transacted that certain little formalities, age-worn, but cherished in the hearts of the Old Guard, were completely ignored.

But one or two of the aldermen noticed the oversight and commented on it after the meeting.

"That's the first time in my memory that the Council has adjourned its last meeting of the year without giving us a chance to deliver some suitable speeches," said Alderman W. F. Fullerton, who has served fourteen years in the Council.

"I was on my feet, all ready to start things, but the Mayor wouldn't look at me and started to say something himself," explained Alderman Robert Dinsdale.

"I noticed the other members seemed to be restless, so I thought we could do without the speaches," said the Mayor.

Regarded as Tradition.

The annual bouquet-passing of the City Council has become a tradition. Usually, the senior member of the Council starts it. When the last piece of formal business is put through, the alderman rises and usually commences by saying that in view of the meeting being the last occasion on which all members of the Council will sit together, it may be fitting to make a few passing remarks on the work of the past year, which, in spite of certain human and inevitable shortcomings on the part of the Mayor and aldermen, was nevertheless replete with progress and activity. Then the next alderman gets up and tries to give pratically the same speech, with different language if possible, and so on around the circle, each successive speaker trying to outdo his colleagues in snappiness, comprehensiveness and general effect. Then the Mayor finishes with a general summing-up, thanking the aldermen for their faithful service and hoping that he will see them all back after election day.

But Monday night there was none of that. Alderman Albion Johns made a brief address, but that was a different thing, because he is retiring from the Council after four years of service and is leaving the city this week for Honolulu.

"I will look back on those four years with a great deal of satisfaction," said the alderman. "I enjoyed my association with the City Council and I feel confident that we did important things for Victoria." Notwithstanding the criticism that has been made from outside, there has been practically no serious discord and hard feeling in the Council since I have been connected with it, and I do not believe you could find a body of men willing to give their time and service so generously."

Although the meeting was devoid of the customary ceremony of complimenting each other, the aldermen appeared to be in good humor. Alderman Patrick and Alderman Sangster walked to the car together after the meeting.

ISLAND ROADS ARE OPEN, SAYS MR. HARRIS

All Routes South of Alberni, Except Near Campbell River, Are Free of Snow Danger—Traffic Is Maintained

Travel over the Island Highway has not been interrupted by the snow, according to Secretary Charles L. Harris. The roads are open and many cars are making the through passage each day without difficulty, he says.

"I have just completed a circuit of the Georgian Circuit," said Mr. Harris last night, "and the whole system is open to traffic. There is lots of snow, I'll admit, but not enough to impede motor travel and cars are coming right through without trouble or delay.

"The situation is safe along the Saanich Arm and over the Summit, but in the neighborhood of Alberni it is threatening and the roads are in bad shape. Snow is two feet deep along the Alberni-Parksville route.

"I would advise motorists to avoid the Campbell River Road, as it is practically impassable in places and late snows might make it hard for motorists to get out. On the other roads, south of Alberni, there is no danger, provided that the driver uses caution. I would suggest that every car making the trip should be equipped with chains."

Mr. Harris says that the Island Automobile Association is rapidly growing in membership, and that many new applications have been received within the last few days.

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FOREIGNER IS BIG PROBLEM OF SCHOOLS

Must Mold Newcomer Into Canadian Citizen in Classroom, Mr. Clearihue Tells Parent-Teachers

Speaking on Canadian Educational problems at the Central School, Monday night, before the Central Parent-Teachers' Association, Mr. J. B. Clearihue, M.P.P.-elect, declared that the education of the foreigners is the biggest question in the schools of Canada today. Emphasizing the greater need for the teaching of loyalty in the classroom, he recalled that during the war much hostility to British ideas had been manifested in the Northwest, where foreigners constituted 45 per cent of the population in 1911. The problem before the country was to take this unwieldy mass of peoples, where as many as fifty tongues were spoken, and weld it into one solid whole of Canadian citizenship.

Many had wished to introduce religion into the classroom, said Mr. Clearihue, but such a course would be unwise. The home and the church were the natural vehicles of religious instruction in a country like Canada.

Organized play was dealt with by the speaker at some length. Play, he said, brings out many admirable qualities in the child, teamwork, self-control, competitive spirit, and perseverance.

Compulsory education in Canada was at too low a standard, he thought. Money was spent freely on cattle, and infinite precautions taken to guard the health of the stock. That of the children on the other hand had been treated as a subject of no importance. He would like to see compulsory health in the schools, by which the health of each child would be tabulated throughout his entire life at school.

Lastly, there was still room for improvement in rural districts, and he looked forward to the time when outlying districts would be well-equipped with consolidated schools, where all the so-called frills would have a place on the curriculum, and teachers would not be burdened as now with four or five classes. The day of the rural school of pioneer days was vanishing, thought Mr. Clearihue, and in British Columbia progress was being made in a satisfactory manner.

Prior to Mr. Clearihue's address, a pleasing musical programme was rendered, those appearing including Miss Berry, solo; Miss Pettinger, recitation; Mr. Green, cornet solo; Miss Parfitt, vocal solo; Mr. Kitley, solo; Miss Purdy, solo; and Mr. J. Petch, solo.

Mr. Winslow, president of the association, occupied the chair. A collection, taken up among those present, resulted in a sum of $26 towards the defraying of the cost of the graphophone purchased for the school by the association recently.

Refreshments were served following termination of the meeting.

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City and District in Brief

Tools Stolen—Valuable tools were stolen some time on Monday night from the Harbor Marine Shipyards, according to a report made to the police yesterday.

Wrist Broken—While cranking his motor car yesterday morning, Mr. G. A. I. Flitton, of 736 Pandora Avenue, sustained a fracture of the right wrist when the crank flew back with great force, striking him on the wrist.

Rotary Club Luncheon.—"What Shall the Club Do in 1921?" will form the theme for discussion at tomorrow's Rotary Club luncheon. There will be a general discussion. Rotarian Bob Playfair has been appointed chairman of the entertainment committee.

Island Arts and Crafts—The general monthly meeting of the members of the Island Arts and Crafts Club will be held in the clubrooms, 202-203 Union Bank Building, tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock, when Mr. J. J. Shallcross will speak on the subject, "Is Art Worth While?"

Will Meet Government.—A deputation representing the Vancouver Board of Trade will arrive in the city on Friday afternoon and wait upon the Provincial Executive Council. What representations will be made to the Government appear to be a mystery so far as anyone here knows.

Fruit Store Robbed—Securing entrance through a rear door which he forced open, a thief some time during Monday night entered the candy and fruit store of Simon Antipas, at 1229 Government Street, and purloined $10 in cash from the cash register. The theft was reported to the police.

Campaign Meeting—A meeting in support of the candidature of Mr. A. E. Hall, sr., who is running for the Reeveship of Saanich, will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Tolmie School. The water question will be fully discussed. Candidates for the positions of Councillor and Police Commissioner are invited to attend.

Order of Moose—This lodge has decided to throw open their charter for a limited period. The benefits are numerous, and include sick pay, doctor's attendance, and free medicine, and a mortuary benefit. From a social side it is unsurpassed, dances, whist drives and entertainments of various kinds being put on for the benefit of members and their friends all the time.

Conservative Five Hundred—The military five hundred to be held tomorrow evening in the new club rooms of the Conservative Club, Campbell Block, will prove a great attraction to members. The committee in charge of the affair is sparing no pains to make it an unqualified success, and a large attendance is assured. All Conservatives are invited to attend. The function will commence at 8 p.m.

Boy Scouts' Entertainment—The Fairfield Troop of Boy Scouts is holding its first entertainment in the Christ Church Cathedral Schools, tomorrow evening next, at 8 o'clock, in aid of their Summer camping fund. A good programme has been arranged by the Scouts themselves, demonstrating a little of the work that the movement tries to teach the boys. A sale of home cooking will be held at the same time under the auspices of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Children's Circle.—A Children's Circle of the King's Daughters, to be called "The Shining Cross" Circle, was organized at the home of Mrs. E. E. Billinghurst, Esquimalt Road, by the District President, Mrs. L. H. Hardie, on Saturday. Miss Leitch, provincial president, conducted the admission service of the order and afterwards gave a short talk to the children on the aims and objects of the order, and the way in which they could be of service, each child having the cross of the order pinned on.

Girls' Corner Club—Miss Rich, secretary to La Marechale, who is now holding meetings nightly in the First Presbyterian Church, will be the guest of the Girls' Corner Club this week. Miss Rich has addressed many young people's meetings on her tour across the Continent, and the girls are looking forward to hearing her on Thursday. A hot supper will be served at 6:15 p.m. in the clubrooms, I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street. The supper arrangements are in the hands of the ladies of the Metropolitan Missionary Society this week.

Elect Officers.—Tolmie School Parent-Teachers' Association met last night for the election of officers and other business, the following being chosen for office during the ensuing months: President, Mr. W. Clark; vice-president, Mrs. Orr; secretary, Miss Bean. The meeting discussed at some length the feasibility or otherwise of having separate playgrounds for the boys and girls, and also separate playgrounds for the very little children. This matter is to be brought before the Central Parent-Teachers' body at its next meeting.

Status of Japanese.—Hon. S. Ukita, Imperial Japanese Consul, came over from Vancouver yesterday and discussed with Premier Oliver certain matters pertaining to the status of Japanese residents in this province, especiallyl with respect to the recent outcome of the court action, judgment in which declared that the province has no power to exclude the employment of Japanese on work carried out under authority of the province. This decision will be appealed by the province. Hon. Mr. Ukita and members of his family have been laid up for some time suffering from influenza.

Settlers More Hopeful—Matters are looking brighter for settlers at the soldier settlement at Merville than some months ago. Two Merville settlers went into Courtenay the other day and sold seven porkers, for which they received a good cash sum. Another group of settlers is seriously considering the assembling of a flock of sheep to run on the logged-off land round Merville, and others, under the advice of experts, are contemplating the cultivation of small fruits and poultry. There are also quite a number of cows on the settlement, and some revenue is being obtained from shipments to the creamery.

Handsome Present—A valuable addition has been made to the Sergeant's mess of the First Battalion Canadian Scottish (16th Battalion), which is being organized in Victoria as the infantry militia unit of this city under command of Lieut.-Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., etc. Yesterday a large gramophone was received, bearing a silver plate, which reads: "From the Sergeants of the Fiftieth, Gordon Highlanders, to the Sergeants of the 16th Battalion." This has been added to the well-furnished mess at the new Drill Hall, which will be used by the sergeants of the new infantry battalion, now in process of formation. Recruits are being received by the adjutant, Capt. Sydney M. Johnson, M.C., at the Drill Hall.

Charge Withdrawn—James Hardy came up in the City Police Court yesterday on a remanded charge of obtaining $25 by false pretences from the Victoria Book and Stationery Co. City Prosecutor Harrison informed the court that on investigation he had come to the conclusion that this was not a case of false pretences; and he would ask that the charge be withdrawn. Magistrate Jay said that he entirely agreed, and discharged the defendant. The case, already reported in these columns, was one in which the defendant had received a rebate cheque for $25 from the Hemphill Trade Schools, for a course in motor mechanics, normally costing $100. A letter of thanks from defendant to the manager of the schools showed that the former was honestly under the impression that he could use this cheque, and being on its face a negotiable instrument, he had had no difficulty in cashing it with the complainants.

Flowers in Esquimalt—January, 1921, is proving unexceptional in matter of temperature, yet a subscriber who has taken the trouble to list the flowers in bloom in her garden on Sunday, the 9th inst., is able to detail the following as composing the bouquet of Esquimalt blooms gathered on that day: Violets, broom, pansies, stocks, summer chrysanthemums, chrysanthemums, candytuft, marigold, forget-me-not, three colors of primroses, wallflower, nasturtium, lobelia, canary creeper, honesty, daisy, Christmas rose, roses, Kehilworth ivy, arabis, alyssum, calceolaria, hydrangea, marguerite, jessamine, polyanthus, eccremocarpus, aubretia. In gardens close by were also found "red hot poker," snowdrops, mignonette, Canterbury bells, snapdragon and Sweet William. The Colonist would be very glad if any flower lovers with snapshots of any Winter flowers blooming in Victoria would send these in for reproduction in the columns of the journal if they are suitable for the purpose, as many of the upper country readers and easterners would be interested in such evidences of Victoria's all-year-round temperateness.

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APPEALS TO FAIRFIELD RESIDENTS FOR SUPPORT

Alderman Patrick, Candidate for Mayor, Would Give No Narrow Administration—Has Great Hopes for Victoria

Thirty residents of the Fairfield district listened for thirty minutes to Alderman Joseph Patrick, aspirant for the mayor's chair, while he briefly outlined the platform upon which he is seeking election to the office of chief magistrate, at the Sir James Douglas School last night. Mr. Patrick explained that as his platform, in printed form, had already been widely circulated throughout the city, there was little reason for his enlarging upon it and he contented himself with a general appeal for election.

Heralded by the chairman, Mr. J. W. Smith, former mayor of the City of Regina, but now a resident of Victoria, as the logical man for office, one head and shoulders above the other candidate, Mayor Porter, Mr. Patrick emphasized his belief that he and Mayor Porter are the best of friends. In fact, he averred, they often walked home together after council meetings. But, he believed, it was proper that after a man had held the office of mayor for two terms he should be willing to step down and out. Further, he remarked, it was due to the electors that Mayor Porter, having held the office for two terms, should come to the electors and give an account of his stewardship.

Quoting from the evening paper which purported to quote Alderman Sangster as saying that everything is rosy for Mayor Porter and that he (the alderman) has the business element of the city "lined up" for the Mayor, Mr. Patrick declared that "this from the man behind the gun, so to speak, is an insult to the business men of the city."

"They say I am an extremist, that I am going, if elected, to turn the city into a Sunday school. I have certain principles. I don't deny. I have a record and reputation to maintain along certain lines. But I am not narrow enough to suppose everyone is going to walk along my path. I don't drink whisky, and haven't since I was seventeen. That is my own private affair. But I have never made any statement that I find fault with anyone who does. But we must have a clean city, one in which we can bring up our families in proper moral surroundings."

In the event of a Government control measure being enacted, Mr. Patrick asserted that, if elected, he would see to it that that measure was enforced to the letter, without fear or favor. But he did not believe in a narrow administration.

In conclusion, Mr. Patrick regretted that some of the aldermanic and other candidates had not seen fit to appear and address the audience. However, he supposed the Mayor's meeting and that of Mr. North, aspirant for Police Commissioner, were proving counter attractions of sufficient merit to keep the candidates in town.

The meeting dispersed with the singing of the National Anthem.

CONSERVATIVE CLUB ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

Mr. J. O. Dunford Is President of Recently Organized Party Body—Prominent Men Selected to Direct Affairs

Mr. J. O. Dunford, for the past year president of the Victoria Conservative Association, was last night selected to officiate in a similar capacity in respect of the new Conservative Club. At a largely attended meeting of members of the new organization held in the clubrooms in the Campbell Block, officers for the ensuing year were selected as follows:

President, Mr. J. O. Dunford.
Vice-president, Major Gus Lyons.
Secretary, Mr. J. Redgrave.
Treasurer, Mr. R. F. Green, M.P.

Executive committee, Captain Foster, Alfred Webb, Dr. Grant, George Miller, H. R. Savage, R. A. Renwick, M. P. Gordon, Reginald Hayward, Sidney Bowden and R. Saunders.

Following the election of officers matters pertaining to the management and conduct of the club's affairs were discussed. The meeting adjourned to meet at the call of the chair. In the absence of Mr. Dunford, the chair was occupied by Mr. Reginald Hayward. Over one hundred members were present.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., January 11, 1921.

SYNOPSIS

An ocean storm is approaching the Coast, and southerly gales may become general. Milder weather is spreading eastward to Alberta, and zero temperatures continue in Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B.C.	30	38
Vancouver	24	34
Kamloops	6	32
Barkerville	—	—
Prince Rupert	26	38
Atlin	24	36
Dawson, Y.T.	—4	18
Calgary, Alta.	16	24
Winnipeg, Man.	—18	—4
Portland, Ore.	28	40
San Francisco, Cal.	48	54
Penticton	14	32
Grand Forks	—1	40
Kaslo	8	32
Cranbrook	—11	22

TUESDAY

Highest	36
Lowest	26
Average	33
Minimum on grass	26

General state of weather, cloudy.

Sparrow hawks will sometimes attack young chickens, but never molest large poultry.

ELECTORS DISSATISFIED

Deputation From Wards One and Seven Protests Against Methods of Central Association

At a meeting of the Central Ratepayers' Association in Tolmie School last evening, a deputation was received from electors of Wards One and Seven. The deputation entered a protest against the methods employed by the Central Ratepayers' Association in endorsing candidates, and announced that they would support Councillor Tyrell for Ward One and Councillor Dooley for Ward Seven.

They then claimed that that were altogether dissatisfied with the Central Ratepayers' Association, and withdrew into another room, where they held a meeting of their own, and elected a president and secretary pro tem.

LADIES INSTALL OFFICERS

Mrs. Sutton Chosen President of Auxiliary to Grand Army of United Veterans

At a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Grand Army of United Veterans, in the Club rooms last evening, the installation of officers took place as follows:

President, Mrs. Sutton; vice-president, Mrs. McAdam; secretary, Miss N. Dooley; treasurer, Mrs. Knowles; executive committee, Mrs. S. McVie, Mrs. McLernan, Mrs. Swan, Mrs. Fawcett, and Miss Carter; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Forrest; convener sick committee, Mrs. Christian; convener investigation committee, Mrs. Foster; ways and means, Mrs. Hatcher; press, Mrs. Pownall; auditors, Mrs. Fawcett, Mrs. Seville, and Mrs. Preston; membership committee, Mrs. R. McVie.

A vote of thanks was passed to the retiring president, Mrs. Hatcher, for her untiring work. It was decided to hold a children's fancy dress dance in Caledonia Hall on February 2nd, and this will be followed by a dance for adults later in the evening.

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German War Criminals Sentenced

Leipsic, Jan. 11. —The second criminal chamber of the imperial court yesterday sentenced the first three war criminals convicted respectively to five and four years' penal servitude and two years imprisonment. The men were accused of looting an inn at Edinged, Belgium, in October, 1918. The accused, who were engineers, did not figure in the Allied extradition list, but were tried under the German law of December, 1919.

Fenian Raid Veteran Dies

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Jan. 11.—W. H. Moore, a veteran of the Fenian Raid, died here yesterday aged 83.

Taxes Close "Movies" in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 11.—All moving picture theatres in this city have been closed, their owners having refused to continue operations because of the new increases in taxes, which are declared to be prohibitive.

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MAYOR REVIEWS PROGRESS OF YEAR

Annual Report Outlines Activity of City Council and Touches on Principal Accomplishments During 1920

Conditions in Victoria generally, and municipal affairs in particular, are reviewed in the annual report of Mayor Robert J. Porter.

The report in full follows:

"In presenting to you my annual report for the past year, it is my intention to touch briefly on most of the important matters which have been dealt with during that time.

"We are still confronted with the unemployment situation, which becomes more acute during the Winter months, occasioned by the closing down of outside operations in sawmills, logging camps, mining, etc. During the winter of 1919, owing to the severity of the weather, we had a large influx of workingmen from the Prairie Provinces, many of whom brought their families with them, and these newcomers added greatly to the difficulty of finding employment.

"Owing to the financial situation, the city has had to continue to curtail expenditure again this year, and has employed just as few men as were necessary for efficiency.

Johnson Street Bridge

"As I stated in my last annual report, the negotiations bringing all interested parties in agreement on this matter have been accomplished. The by-law authorizing the borrowing of $420,000, the city's share of the cost, was submitted at the 1919 January civic elections and was endorsed by a great majority. Owing to unavoidable delays, actual work on the contruction was not undertaken until the latter part of November, but, with the commencement of the year, the work will be pushed forward with the utmost dispatch.

Increased Production

"I feel that continued efforts should be made again this year to stimulate vacant lot cultivation, as the city now is the owner of a large number of vacant lots and many private owners are also willing to give their property for this laudable purpose.

Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee

"Nothing particular of a permanent nature has been undertaken this year by this committee, although the different parks under their jurisdiction have been kept in a good state of repair, and a close supervision of sanitary conditions has been maintained.

"An effort was made during the past year to have Elk and Beaver Lakes, with the watersheds, included in the parks under the management of the committee, but without success.

Public Market

"The Public Market continues to prosper, being now filled to the utmost capacity. In fact, the extra accommodation which was provided during the year is now all occupied.

"I advocated a few years ago the opening of a livestock market in conjunction with the present market, and I am still of the opinion that such would be a great success, and should be arranged during the coming year.

Private Bill

"The City Council is making application at the next session of the Legislature for power to elect aldermen to the City Council for a term of two years, one-half the number retiring annually; also for power to licence and number bicycles, and to hold municipal elections earlier in the year.

Health Department

"The health of the city has been exceptionally good during the past year, every complaint receiving attention, with the result that we have had less illness this year than for several years in the past.

"Much credit is due to Dr. A. G. Price, Medical Health Officer, and his inspectors for these conditions.

Victoria and Island Development

"Once more this Association has had a most successful year, probably the most prosperous since its existence. A very large number of motor tourists visited Victoria during the past Summer in their tour of Vancouver Island.

"Mr. J. C. Pendray occupied the presidency again this year, and gave his valuable time to this work, which fact in no small measure is responsible for its success.

"During the year Mr. W. A. McAdam resigned from the position of secretary, and Mr. J. S. Thomson was appointed to the post.

"I am of the opinion that the matter of providing camping sites for motorists should be dealt with as soon as possible. Last year the Victoria-Saanich Beaches, and Parks Committee had a piece of ground brushed and set aside at Mount Douglas Park as a camping site, and, although it was made use of by some, others complained that it was too far away and would not use it.

Finance

"The financial situation is one that requires more thought than all the other municipal matters combined, and my Finance Committee of this year has given much time to this important work.

"During the year bonds to the amount of $763,724.70 matured and were paid off, while our bond issue for the year amounted to $214,694.94.

"Our tax sale, which was held on October 5, included properties which were in arrears for taxes for the years 1916 and 1917. This sale was not as successful as we had hoped, as practically all the properties put up reverted to the city.

"We have continued to press the Provincial Government for additional sources of revenue, but so far without results, although the Premier has stated publicly that his Government fully intends to come to the assistance of the municipalities at the next sitting of the Legislature.

"The rate of exchange in New York has continued to operate during the entire year much to the disadvantage of this city. The amount paid out for that purpose amounted to approximately $30,000.

"During the year we collected 75 per cent of the general tax, or 82 per cent of the full amount, if all tax sale properties are excluded.

Union of British Columbia Municipalities

"The City of Victoria withdrew from membership in the above Association owing to the fact that the solicitor for the Union was accepting briefs in legal actions against the city.

Ogden Point Piers

"Steps are under way for the utilization of these piers as a coaling depot for ships. I am convinced that, if modern facilities were installed on the piers for this purpose, many ships would coal there rather than navigate the intricate channels necessary to reach the mines. It has also been arranged to use one of the piers as an assembling plant for lumber cargoes for shipping. Cement shipments are being made from there at present to the Far East.

B.C. Agricultural Association

"This Association conducted an exhibition during the past year for the first time since the commencement of the war. The 'Made-in-Victoria' Fair was merged with that of the Agricultural Association and a separate building was provided for 'Made-in-Victoria' products. This arrangement worked out very satisfactorily and the exhibition was a success in every way.

"Mr. George Warren acted in the capacity of Manager for the 'Made-in-Victoria' Fair and Alderman Geo. Sangster as Manager for the B. C. Agricultural Association's Exhibition.

"Considerable money was spent on the buildings and grounds, necessitated by the fact that they had not been used for so long and also due to the occupancy of the premises by the Military Forces.

"It is the intention of the Directors of this Association to continue to improve the buildings and grounds this year and also to offer increased prizes in an effort to have exhibitors and the general public take a greater interest in the work of the Association.

Canadian National Railways

"The Canadian National Railways have completed the grading of their property at the west end of Point Ellice Bridge and erected thereon temporary buildings for the accommodation of office and freight departments. It was fully expected that trains would have been in operation over a portion of the line between Victoria and Alberni during the past Summer, and, although considerable pressure was brought to bear on the management, it was of no avail. This is a matter which should be taken up with renewed vigor during the coming year.

Shipbuilding

"The Cholberg Yards are working on the construction of the ships contracted for early in the past year. One was recently completed and launched. This work is of immense importance to our citizens, and all public bodies should unite in an endeavor to obtain more contracts for ship construction to be proceeded with as the present work is completed.

Water Works

Some slight repairs were made to the pipe line during the past year in an effort to stop leaks caused by contraction and expansion. The quality of the water is satisfactory in every respect. In my opinion, the charges should not be greater than the actual expense of supplying the same. Therefore, I would recommend a revision of rates from time to time.

Housing Scheme

"Practically all the money available for this purpose has been used. Nearly thirty houses were erected and all were well constructed, comfortable and good value for the money.

Civic Departments

"All departments under the City's administration, including Works, Legal, Treasury, Sanitary, Fire and Waterworks, were conducted in a most satisfactory manner during the year 1920, and it is with pleasure that I take this opportunity of thanking the officials of the different departments for their loyal support and co-operation.

Police Department

"The Police Department has rendered efficient service during the past year, and deserves much credit for keeping the City free from serious crime, more particularly so when crime was so prevalent in other cities on the Coast.

Macadam Trails

"A policy of macadamizing a few streets in the residential sections of the City was adopted a few years ago, which should be continued now on a greater scale, if possible. Residents in those districts, that have not been provided with a hard-surfaced street, find it impossible to have deliveries of wood or coal made during the Winter months.

Legal

"With the exception of the church taxation case—Bishop of Vancouver Island versus City of Victoria—which is now going to appeal before the Privy Council, the City is practically free from litigation. The staff in this department, under Mr. H. S. Pringle, is smaller than it has been for years.

Parks

"Owing to the necessity for economy, we have not expended the money that we should on our parks this year. Beacon Hill Park, in particular, should have a larger grant, while the Balhing Pavilion, as well as the beach at Gorge Park requires considerable expenditure to place it in better condition.

City Council

"Many matters of importance were dealt with by the Council during the year, and the aldermen gave fully the time that was necessary to discuss and deal with any matter pertaining to the welfare and benefit of the City.

"I wish to take this opportunity of thanking the members for the co-operation and support which they so readily gave me on all occasions.

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STOP CUTTING OAKS IN VIEW OF PROTEST

Many Organizations and Individuals Criticize Council's Order to Remove Trees Bordering Streets

About a month ago, a man navigating a small car in the dark, ran against an unmarked oak tree on McClure Street. He wrote to the Council and threatened to sue for damages. The Council decided to have City Engineer F. M. Preston report on the trees which should be cut down. Mr. Preston reported last night, naming eight on Rockland Avenue, one on Collinson Street, one on Douglas Street between Belleville and Elliott Streets, and one on Foul Bay Road.

A flood of correspondence on the subject from individuals and semi-public organizations, opposing the destruction of trees, was read.

The Canadian Club wrote that the trees were "a great asset to the city and enhanced its beauty."

The Island Arts and Crafts Club hoped that the city would not persist in destroying "these most artistic features without due consideration."

The Rotary Club argued that the Council should defer tree cutting until it has dealt with the unsightly poles bordering the streets and spoke of "the great value from the aesthetic point of view," of retaining the trees.

The Victoria Automobile Club held that "oak trees still standing and in healthy condition should be no obstruction to motor traffic, provided reasonable amount of care is exercised."

The Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., considered that the oak trees were "of sufficient value in beauty and historical association to be protected and guarded by those custodians in whose charge we have placed the well-being of the city," and suggested that boulevards be built around the oaks and that they be illuminated at night.

Mr. Lindley Crease, K.C., declared that while he appreciated that trees might have to be sacrificed on main thoroughfares where traffic was heavy, there were instances where it would constitute vandalism to remove them.

"There is nothing progressive in the idea of clearing away trees which are the gift of nature and cannot possibly be restored," he stated.

"In reality," wrote Mr. Joseph E. Wilson, "there is less excuse for a motorist who collides with an innocent tree than for one who runs down a cyclist or a pedestrian. If he keeps his eyes open at all he should see an object as immovable as an oak tree. I consider it would be to your lasting disgrace if you condemn a single tree for the carelessness of any man or woman. Vancouver would give thousands for a few of our magnificent oaks."

Mr. C. C. Pemberton warned the Council against cutting down oak trees without obtaining competent opinion.

"Surely a motorist who cannot avoid an oak tree is still less likely to avoid a human being, and is therefore a menace to the general public," wrote Mr. Alfred Carmichael, president of the Victoria Real Estate Exchange. "These trees are a joy to all others and we protest most emphatically against destroying the pleasure of the great majority for the sake of safeguarding a very few careless individuals."

"There was a magnificent oak tree growing just opposite Beccabella, which, as I saw this morning, has been taken down and destroyed," wrote Mr. F. B. Pemberton. "That tree was probably anywhere from 500 to 700 years old. It has taken only a few minutes to take it down and yet it can never be replaced. The tree jutted out a little bit into the road and so do thousands of telephone poles. In other progressive cities, nothing on earth would induce them to touch one of these trees. If they are growing in the middle of the road they are carefully guarded."

A resolution to discontinue unless special consideration was first given by the Council to individual complaints was adopted.

"These complaints are all very well but are these people prepared to pay the damages?" asked Alderman Patrick.

OBITUARY NOTICES

FLORENCE—The funeral of the late Miss Barbara Florence, whose death occurred on the 9th inst., took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Angus, 1139 McClure Street, Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiating. As the funeral was private, only the family and intimate friends were present. The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. The following were pallbearers: A. Florence, A. C. McNeil, G. R. Florence, W. S. Taynton, W. W. Geddie, W. Home.

JACK—The death occurred at Mayne Island of Mr. Robt. Jack on Thursday, January 6, 1921. The funeral took place from the family residence, Mayne Island, on Saturday, January 8, at 2:30 p.m., Mr. A. J. Wilkinson, of the Christadelphian Church, officiating at the house and graveside. A large number of friends were in attendance. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss two sons and two daughters. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. Neal, R. Hall, Captain E. Maude, T. Garrick, F. Bennett and D. Bennett.

HIGGINBOTHAM—The funeral of the late Thomas F. Higginbotham will take place this afternoon from the late residence, Ocean View Road, at 2 o'clock, where service will be conducted by the Rev. P. C. Parker. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

STARLING—The funeral of the late Mrs. Emma Dale Starling will take place from the B. C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon, leaving the B.C. Funeral Chapel at 12:30, and proceeding to the residence at Saanichton, from which the cortege will leave at 2 o'clock for St. Stephen's Church, South Saanich, where service will be held at 2:30, Rev. J. S. A. Bastin officiating.

NAO—The remains of the late Mrs. Kuraoka Nao were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted in the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, Rev. S. Nakanishi officiating. Two appropriate hymns were sung. Many friends attended and the casket was covered with floral tributes. The pallbearers were T. Osawa, S. Takamine, Y. Ogino, Y. Harada, Y. Ogura and T. Toya.

OLSEN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Olsen will take place this afternoon from the B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2:30, where service will be conducted by the Rev. G. H. Andrews. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

RUSTON—The death took place on Saturday evening at St. Joseph's Hospital of William Francis Ruston, husband of Mrs. Agnes Ruston, aged 48 years. The deceased, who was born in England, died as the result of a perforated internal ulcer. He was employed at James Island, and died shortly after being admitted to the hospital. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate. Interment will take place at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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BROTHERHOOD SUES LABOR CONGRESS

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—Legal action was taken yesterday by the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employes against the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, A. R. Mosher, president of the brotherhood, announced last night. The action is to test the legality of the Congress' action in revoking the charter of the brotherhood recently on the ground that it was a dual organization.

"The instructions of the brotherhood's executive to Carl Fisher, our attorney, were to issue the writ yesterday. We presume he has done so, unless there has been some delay," said Mr. Mosher. "There is nothing fresh in the writ. Our case is well known to the organized labor movement."

Will Try to Climb Everest

LONDON, Jan. 11.—At a meeting of the Royal Geographical Society last night, Sir Francis Younghusband, the traveler and explorer, announced the Tibetan government having granted permission, an attempt would be made next year to climb Mount Everest, the highest known peak in the world.

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WEDDING ANNOUNCED

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 10.—Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Frances Mary Heath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Heath, of McCoy Lake, and Mr. Ernest Franklin Woodward, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Woodward, McCoy Lake, which is to take place in the Presbyterian Church, Alberni, by the Rev. H. A. Hain, at half-past eight o'clock tomorrow morning.

The church has been beautifully decorated for the occasion with ivy and cut flowers.

The happy couple will leave for Vancouver on the Tuesday morning train and on their return will reside in the Patterson Townsite in a home presented to the bride by her father. A reception will be held at their home after their return.

Alberni Councils

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 10.—Alberni City Council has been declared elected by acclamation, as follows: Capt. G. A. Huff, Mayor, and the following aldermen: Harold F. Bishop, Lou Marcon, Mrs. Capt. Croll, G. W. Cathcart, E. R. Frost, S. H. Toy.

Mrs. A. G. Freese has been elected on the School Board in Mr. Prescott's place.

Nominations in Port Alberni were as follows: A. Linford, Mayor; Alex. MacIntyre, Mayor. From the following list for aldermen, six are to be elected: F. H. Steede, F. G. Cox, R. D. Bind, W. L. L. Harris, Charles Fawcitt, S. N. Klivington, G. S. Pearse, H. L. Mertz, A. Fleming, Geo. Relston, Alex. Wood, Edward White.

Mr. C. A. MacNaughton was elected by acclamation on the Police Board.

Death of Mr. S. Beck

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 10.—The death of Sidney Beck occurred at the local hospital on Saturday night. Mr. Beck had been in the employment of the Foundation Company for the past six months, but contracted pneumonia during the holidays and failed to recover.

Port Alberni Notes

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 10.—Little May Blundell, while playing in a vacant lot near her home, fell from a small tree she had been climbing and broke her arm. Dr. Margan was called and soon set the arm. The break was between the elbow and wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Olander, Grandview, Alberni, are the proud parents of a twelve-pound girl.

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The Marriage of Anne

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CVIII.—A MISTAKE.

"You haven't got a bathing cap," said my companion suddenly, when we were half way back to the hotel. "Now isn't that a pity?"

She halted for a moment, as though suggesting that we should turn back to the regions of the shops. Then:

"Oh, I forgot—I can lend you one. I'm afraid it isn't very smart—just a waterproof cap that I sometimes wear when I'm having a Turkish bath—but you're welcome to it."

There was nothing to it but to accept her offer.

As we walked along the boardwalk we encountered one or two of Margery's beaux. Tanned young men who doffed their hats to her. But I didn't notice any particular enthusiasm in the matter of stopping to speak with her.

Once Margery halted, and presented me to a chinless youth who was obviously suffering from adenoids. She addressed him intimately as Reggie and asked him to tea at the hotel that afternoon.

"Or maybe you could take me out to lunch?" she added, eagerly.

Reggie, however, apparently lacked either the inclination or the cash. (No doubt Margery was expensive.)

"Infernally sorry, but I've got to lunch with mater. She's coming down at twelve today." He was apologetic.

"What about tea, then?" She was still hopeful. She would show the recalcitrant Courtney that there were other rivals in the field.

"I'm booked at four o'clock to attend a wretched tea-fight given by half a dozen females," said Reggie, gallantly, making a face. "So you'll have to excuse me, Miss Langhorne."

He made no suggestion as to a future date. And Margery, feeling that the interview had not only been unproductive but rather undignified, as well, bore me off towards the hotel, gloom on her brow.

We found Neil in the lounge. There was no sign of Mr. Courtney anywhere.

Margery flung herself into a chair, crossed her legs so as to display a surplus of dainty be-laced petticoat, and lit a cigarette. She flung a plaintive glance at Neil.

"I'm quite worn out. But we got Anne's bathing suit. A sweet, simple little thing, just her style!"

(My style, indeed! How plain and unattractive I must be, to match the humble six dollar garment!)

"It was kind of you to take her, Margery," responded my husband, briskly. "Let me order you a lemonade, or something. You look quite fagged."

"And hideous, I suppose?"

She moved her chair a fraction nearer Neil's, and smiled coquettishly upon him.

"Upon the contrary! I say you always manage to look as though you'd stepped straight out of a bandbox! Doesn't she, Anne?"

I nodded, a chill at my heart. Were Neil and I never to be left alone? Would this flirtatious young woman never cease the role of gooseberry? But she wasn't "gooseberry"—oh, no! She generally saw to it that she played the central role.

The lemonade was brought for Margery. I wasn't thirsty, so declined one.

Pretty soon, we made a move for the pier-end, and the sea.

The morning had turned out very warm. The water looked enchanting.

But—at the pier-end it seemed quite deep. Yes, thirty feet!

"Haven't got 'cold feet,' Anne, surely?" laughed our companion. A slight breeze had whipped a lovely color into her cheeks. She looked radiant. (I told myself, rather drearily, that anyone would prefer Margery's looks to my own.)

It was on the pier that we encountered an old friend of Neil's. A cordial greeting took place between the two men.

"Saunders, old man, heartiest congratulations! I've just heard that you're married! My wife saw it in the papers." He slapped Neil on the back, and, without waiting for further introductions, turned to Margery. "So this is the blushing bride, eh? You're to be doubly congratulated, Saunders, winning such a lovely girl! But stop a minute"—he looked hard at Margery—"I remember now. You were Miss Langhorne, a very special friend of Neil's. Year before last, lots of people thought—"

But we were destined not to hear that little tid-bit. For my husband interrupted the jovial flow with:

"You're under a misapprehension. Miss Langhorne is not my wife, but this young lady is." He thrust me forward. "Anne, may I present an old friend to you?"

I murmured some conventional greeting. But a big ache was at my heart. The old friend had had sufficient perspicuity to pick Margery out as a fitting mate for Neil, and had ignored my insignificant self. Apologies and laughter couldn't set the matter right. The ache persisted.

Fifteen minutes later Neil stood waiting for Margery and me to emerge from our bathhouses.

When we did so, there was another painful little stab! For Margery's "simple little costume" which she had "run up" herself proved to be a first-class "dazzle" suit in black and orange silk that made her look like a gorgeous tropic flower, while I—in my humble two-piece stockingette of wratched cut and material—looked, beside glowing Margery, like a common kitchen weed!

Thursday—Neil's Kiss.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Lieut.-Col. Wheeler and Mrs. Wheeler, and Mrs. A. B. Cartwright, Saltspring Island; Mr. F. W. Foster, Cowichan, and Mr. A. P. Crawford, Montreal, are guests at the James Bay Hotel.

Mr. C. A. Stalts, Coronation, Alta.; Mr. H. R. Rogers, Seattle, and Mrs. E. Milligan, Winnipeg, Man., are registered at the Douglas Hotel.

Miss Bannery, Sooke; Mrs. G. L. Madden, Bamfield; Mr. Geo. Nelson, Prince Rupert; Mr. D. Hurley, Lillooet; Mr. J. B. Bryson, Pavillon; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett, and Mr. G. E. Bennett, Summerberry, Sask.; Mr. H. Proctor, Nanaimo; Mr. W. P. Duncan, Coronation, Alta., and Mr. R. J. Duncan, Delia, Alta., are staying at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. Buchanan, Winnipeg; Mr. S. Severson, Calgary; Mr. J. R. Sproat, Regina, and Mrs. Clemente, Seattle, are guests at the Westholme Hotel.

Mr. E. Peatt, Colwood; Mr. and Mrs. J. Moore, Mr. A. Georgeson, Mr. D. O. McDonald, and Mr. Frank Bryan, Vancouver, are registered at the St. James Hotel.

Mr. Ernest Waterwall, and Mr. P. W. Gregory, Princeton, B.C.; Mrs. Joseph F. Morris, Mrs. Chas. Parsons, Mrs. W. H. Evans, and Mr. E. F. Simmons, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fraser, Edmonton; Mr. F. McCullough, Mr. J. E. Spengler, and Rev. F. L. Forbes and Mrs. Forbes, Seattle, and Mr. T. H. U. Aldridge, Shanghai, China, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Trew, 46 Howe Street, gave a supper in honor of Dr. Elizabeth Dwight, the occasion being the Doctor's birthday. A most enjoyable evening was spent. The following were present: Capt. and Mrs. W. Symonds, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bunnell, and Master Dwight Bunnell, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Cooney.

Mrs. Archibald Harris entertained yesterday afternoon at her residence on Newport Avenue, with three tables of bridge.

Major P. Bennett, of Vernon, son of Col. C. C. Bennett, of Victoria, spent a few days in Vancouver last week en route to California, where he and his little son intend spending several weeks.

Mr. Charles Wilson, K.C., of Vancouver, has arrived in Victoria, where he will attend the Court of Appeal.

Mr. Purves E. Ritchie, of Shaughnessy Heights, arrived in Victoria on Monday from Vancouver, and will spend a few days in this city.

Miss Lily L. Rosebloom, of North Vancouver, left the Mainland last Saturday for a two weeks' vacation to be spent in Duncan and Victoria.

Mr. H. V. Esmond and Miss Eva Moore will be the guests of honor today at a luncheon given by the Canadian Club at the Hotel Vancouver. On Thursday evening the B.C. Institute of Journalists will be their hosts at an informal dinner at the Citizens' Club.

Mrs. A. J. Hoskin entertained at a dance on Saturday evening, at her residence in Vancouver. Her guests included: Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Dubois Phillips, Mrs. Ray Green (Victoria), Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bull, Mr. and Mrs. E. McLorg, Mrs. E. A. C. Studd, Dr. and Mrs. Alison Cumming, Mr. Dixon Hopcraft, Miss Jean Macdonald, Miss Katie Snyder, Miss Nancy Foggo, Col. Jack Leckie, Mr. Percy Foster, Mr. Eltinge Merritt, Mr. T. Jenkins, Mr. Arthur Gore (Victoria), Mr. Jack Cambie, Mr. H. Mason and Mr. J. S. Patterson.

Mr. M. I. Clark, Shawnigan Lake; Mr. E. Gardner Smith, Duncan; Mr. V. Clayton, Bella Coola; Mr. F. Lynch, Seattle and Mr. E. F. Britton, Winnipeg, are staying at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mrs. Musgrave and Miss R. Hunt arrived on Sunday from Ocean Falls on a visit to relatives in Victoria and vicinity.

Mrs. Traquair, whose husband, Dr. H. Traquair, is a well-known eye specialist of Edinburgh, Scotland, is in the city waiting for the sailing of the SS. Mirama Maru tomorrow. She is on her way to Hawk's Bay, New Zealand, with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Monn, intending to visit her old home, and while in Victoria has spent some of her time with her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Napier, Menzies Street.

Mrs. D. Stephen returned yesterday from a four months' visit in Eastern Canada, the latter part of which she spent with her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Brown, of Toronto, whose husband has been the B.C. Lumber Commissioner in that city since he left Victoria last July.

Mr. J. F. Stamford, of R-4 Ranch, Quesnel, B.C., has been spending the holidays in the city with his parents, and is returning tonight to Quesnel. Mr. Stamford reports that things are looking very favorable at the present time in the Cariboo district.

LADY DOUGLAS CHAPTER

Regent Mrs. R. B. McMicking Was Re-elected by Acclamation at Yesterday's Meeting

Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the Lady Douglas Chapter was held in the headquarter's rooms, Jones Building. Mrs. R. B. McMicking presided, and was re-elected regent by acclamation. Mrs. Worlock, "Echoes" secretary, and Mrs. Mount, educational secretary, were also re-elected to their respective positions by acclamation.

Mrs. H. W. Herchmer, Mr. McIlree and Mrs. H. P. Hodges and Mrs. Willis Dean were elected to attend the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women. Mrs. McIlree reported on the recent meeting of the Local Council of Women, and the question of the women's platform was brought up and the matter was laid on the table for further consideration at the next meeting. Mrs. Brown reported on the soldiers' comforts, and the sum of $60 was voted to this cause.

Mrs. Mount, educational secretary, after making her report, stated that the picture of the Prince of Wales, which the Chapter is presenting to the Sir James Douglas school, will be presented on Tuesday, January 18, at 11 o'clock.

The meeting was adjourned with the singing of the National Anthem.

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ST. JOHN'S VESTRY IN ANNUAL MEETING

Enthusiastic Gathering Hears Reports Indicating Great Progress of Congregation—Mortgage Debt Cleared

A large and enthusiastic gathering of the members of St. John's Church assembled on Monday evening for the Annual Vestry Meeting, over which the rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick presided. Church warden W. W. Ballard presented the financial statement showing the great progress that has been made by St. John's congregation. He referred to the two outstanding events of the year just completed, namely, the election of the beautiful Memorial Reredos, and the wiping out of the heavy mortgage debt on the church. He also pointed out that the schoolroom should be remodelled and equipped so as to make it more suitable for the work of the Sunday School.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Ballard, who is retiring from the office of church warden this year, for the efficient manner in which his duties were performed for the past two years.

Encouraging Reports

Very interesting and encouraging reports were received from the Ladies' Guild, the Women's Auxiliary, the Girls' Auxiliary, the Anglican Young People's Association and the Chancel Guild.

The rector referred to the splendid progress being made by the Sunday School under the superintendent, Mr. W. R. Sayer, who was unable to be present. The present building was inadequate for the accommodation of the scholars, two large classes being forced to find room in the church, and the next objective of the congregation must be the proper equipment of the St. John's Schoolroom along modern lines and a remodelling of the interior so as to give more room. This would cost a considerable sum but it is an urgent need.

Officers for New Year

Mr. Chadwick then appointed Mr. G. D. Hawkins as rector's warden for the ensuing year and Mr. R. Hall was unanimously chosen as people's warden. On motion of Messrs. Townsley and Quick, Mr. E. M. Brown was appointed secretary-treasurer. The elections resulted as follows: Church Committee, Messrs. R. W. Perry, J. Townsley, W. Ballard, E. M. Brown, B. C. Mess, F. G. Quick, R. B. Ker, S. Hawkins, R. Fox and H. Lloyd-Young. The Lay Delegates to Synod: Messrs. J. Townsley, R. W. Perry, Dr. Price, F. G. Quick, Lloyd-Young and R. Fox. Alternatives: Messrs. W. Niblock, H. Parsons, J. Nesbitt and Richards. Sidesmen: J. Townsley, (chairman), R. W. Perry, E. M. Brown, W. W. Ballard, F. G. Quick, R. H. Walker, T. Walker, R. W. O. Savage, W. R. Sayer, H. F. Doane, R. O. Clarke, V. Morrow, S. Hawkins, C. M. Parrott, F. Buckling, D. Francis, R Gibson, F. W. H. Thompson, C. Doane, A. Hallam, J. Nesbitt, C. Tice, R. Tubb, C. de Saumerez, Robt. Fox.

Great interest was evinced in the reports that were presented by the various organizations, showing that the Parochial life is vigorous in all its branches, and hearty votes of thanks were passed to all the church workers and especially to the rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, and Mr. J. G. Burnett, the organist, and the choir.

It was announced that a parish "At Home" was being arranged for Thursday, January 20, and that a programme of unusual attraction was being prepared. Special resolutions of thanks were passed to Mr. D. R. Ker, the Ellis Estate, Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt and Mrs. C. F. Todd for their recent generous donations resulting in the removal of the church debt.

Coal Mines Resume

FREDERICTON, N.B., Jan. 11.—The International Paper Company's coal mines in the Minto district resumed operations yesterday after having been shut down for a week or more, with the miners working under revised rates of pay and readjusted working conditions.

Smallpox in Galt

GALT, Ont., Jan. 11.—Thirteen cases of smallpox, all of a mild type, are being treated here, and Dr. J. H. Radford, medical officer of health of this city, asked the city council to encourage public vaccination by having it done at the expense of the municipality.

The obelisk was the Egyptian symbol of the supreme God.

Mothers' Advice

The responsibility for a daughter's future largely rests with the mother. The right influence and the information which is of vital interest to the daughter imparted at the proper time has not only saved the life but insured the success of many a beautiful girl. When a girl's thoughts become sluggish with headaches, dizziness, or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs and a desire for solitude, her mother should come to her aid and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, will at this time prepare the system for the coming change and start this trying period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities. Thousands of women residing in every part of the United States bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtues of this medicine, and what it has done for their daughters.

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SPECIAL NEWS

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WEDDINGS

Plaskett-Smith

A very pretty wedding took place on Tuesday evening, when the Rev. W. A. E. Butler united Edith A. Smith in marriage to Harry H. Plaskett. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. John J. Smith, barrister, of this city. The groom is the eldest son of Dr. J. S. Plaskett, Dominion Astronomer at Victoria, B.C. He is himself an astronomer at the Victoria Observatory, and is rapidly taking a prominent place in scientific circles. He has also seen active military service overseas. The bride was dressed in white charmeuse, with embroidered skirt, bridal veil caught up with orange blossoms, and wearing silver slippers, and entered the drawing room on the arm of her father, and took her place in the bridal bower of flowers. She was accompanied by her sister, Mabel W. Smith, as bridesmaid, who was dressed in pink satin with coronet of flowers, and silver slippers. The groom was supported by the bride's brother, Mr. Arthur Y. Smith. After the ceremony a reception was held at which the many guests present were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Smith. Later the newly wedded couple left to take the train for Toronto, where they will stay a short while before proceeding to their home in Victoria, B.C.—Ottawa Morning Journal, Jan. 6.

Ensel-Bland

The marriage of Miss Emily Bland, formerly of Bradford, England, now of Victoria, and of Mr. Edward Ensel, also of this city, was celebrated in Seattle on Wednesday, January 5, the officiating clergyman being Rev. D. O. Powers. Mr. and Mrs. Ensel have returned to Victoria, intending to make their home here.

The yield of sugar per acre in Hawaii is larger than in any other part of the world.

SHELL-SHOCKED MEN TELL THEIR STORIES

Magistrate Jay Has Three Cases Before Him of Men Who Did Their Bit and Are Now in Trouble

Magistrate Jay, presiding yesterday in the City and Oak Bay Police Courts, had three cases before him, which all contained, in their various aspects of human misfortune, powerful reminders that the Great War has left on its receding tides a pitiful flotsam of men who once did their manful bit, and are now, as a result of their service, finding civilian life too much for them. His Honor dealt patiently and sympathetically, as is his wont, with all these cases; and remanded two of them in the hope that he might be able to hear friends of the accused, who had both pleaded guilty, and thrown themselves on the mercy of the court.

Ralph Luxton was charged with obtaining credit, to the amount of $10, from the Westholme Hotel. The accused pleaded guilty. City Prosecutor Harrison said that it was fair to the accused that the very unusual features of this case should be brought to the notice of the court. The accused had cashed a post-dated cheque for $10 with the hotel. There were no funds to meet payment. The accused had been drinking; and Mr. Harrison was of opinion that there were circumstances which showed that the man was suffering from the effects of war service. When the accused had awoke to a realization of what he had done, he had come to the police and given himself up, saying that he wanted to own up, take his punishment, and make a fresh start.

A Flying Officer

The story told by the accused was elicited by questions put by the magistrate. The former said that he had served four years overseas. He had been three years an officer in the flying corps. He had had a clean record, he said. He had been a farmer before the war. He was shell-shocked, and he had found that he could not do his former work. He had been in hospital since his discharge, but had afterwards worked at various jobs, up to about three months ago, since when he had been unable to get any work for which he was fit. He wanted to be held responsible for what he had done; and to take his punishment for it. He wanted to make a fresh start. He had no relatives left in the world to bring shame upon; and he would rather own up and be done with it than try to escape the consequences of his acts. At the same time he wanted His Honor to know that he had done this thing while he was drinking; and at such times, lately, he did not seem to know what he was doing. He thought he was out of his mind at times. He had been very troubled when he came to himself, and had given himself up to the police. Magistrate Jay remanded the accused until today.

The next case of a returned man in trouble was that of Fred Smith, who, in the Oak Bay Police Court last Monday, had pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing a wrist watch and pearl necklace, the property of Mrs. Eric McCallum, of 318 Newport Avenue. Magistrate Jay had remanded the accused until yesterday, in order that he might bring friends into court to speak for him.

The accused said that the only man he knew personally in the city had refused to say anything for him in connection with this case. He said that his discharge papers were in a Ladysmith hotel, where he had recently stayed. He said that these papers would show that he had served over four years overseas, with a good record in the Seventh Battalion. He had been wounded three times. He had tried to keep himself by work. He had been cutting wood for Major McCallum on the beach, and had made $2.50 in three days. He did not know what had made him take this jewelry. He had lived an honest life up to the time of this trouble, and had never been in trouble before.

Four Years Overseas

In his evidence of the previous day, Major McCallum said he had been requested by the Y.M.C.A. people to give the accused work. He had no work for him. He did not like the look of him. He had not trusted him. He had finally told him to cut wood on the beach because the man seemed so anxious to get something to do. After giving him one meal in the house, the major had distrusted him, and told him not to come near the house again. The property had been sold to second-hand dealers of the city, for a total of $8.50, although it was valued at about $300. The necklace had been recovered by reason of the free confession of the accused, who was said by Chief of Police Syme to have been perfectly frank and truthful after his arrest.

Magistrate Jay said that he would remand the case until next Thursday. The lad, said His Honor, seemed to be without friends in the world. He would like to see the lad's discharge papers. He would ask Chief Syme to communicate with the Ladysmith hotelkeeper mentioned, and have these papers sent down to Victoria.

The third case to come before His Honor, who must have thought there was a veritable conspiracy to prey upon his sympathies, was that of Richard Nichols, charged in the city court with begging and vagrancy. The accused was in military uniform, and was wearing the South African and Great War service ribbons. He said he was suffering from shell-shock. He had been drinking, and did not know what he was doing at such times. He was sorry, and ashamed for what he had done. Magistrate Jay said that as it appeared that the accused was still a member of the forces, the charge of vagrancy could not hold. The charge would be dismissed. He would direct the police to communicate with the Commanding Officer at Work Point, and to hold the accused until an escort was sent for him.

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DECLINES OFFERS IN OTHER FIELDS

At Annual Vestry Meeting of Christ Church Announcement Is Made That Dean Quainton Decides to Remain

Very Rev. Dean Quainton has declined offers of larger opportunities in other fields, and has decided to remain in Victoria. A statement to this effect was greeted with much applause at the annual vestry meeting of Christ Church held on Monday evening in the Cathedral schoolroom. The meeting was largely attended, and the discussion of the matter of the proposed new Synod Hall and Sunday school brought forth a unanimity of opinion in favor of the immediate erection of the structure which is to form the first part of the new Cathedral buildings scheme. The reports of the growth of the Sunday school and young people's activities, as well as other parochial organizations, provided all the evidence required of the urgency of securing larger and more up-to-date accommodation, and final action was taken by the meeting to introduce the matter at the coming diocesan synod in February, when it is hoped that the erection of the proposed synod hall and Sunday school will be sanctioned and steps for construction taken.

Wardens' Statement

The financial statement for the past year, presented by Frank Burrell, rector's warden, showed receipts from all sources amounting to $22,920.41, and the year's disbursements, leaving a balance of $34.39. The accompanying report stated that notwithstanding many additional calls and heavier apportionments, all financial obligations had been met in full, and expressed appreciation of the whole-hearted support received from the congregation and parishioners. Judging from last year's expenditure, it is anticipated that during the current year, the sum of $23,500 will be required, or about $1,000 in excess of last year. Detailed statements from St. Mathias' mission, and for a number of parochial funds and organizations were submitted, all showing evidence of healthy and sustained growth.

Election of Officers

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the following appointments:

Rector's warden, Frank Burrell.
People's warden, John Harvey.
Church committee: C. Bishop, E. Clarke, W. O. Cockett, A. J. Dallain, Major Longstaff, W. S. Miles, C. Nickerson, F. C. Nivin, W. A. Willis and F. H. Worlock.

Lay delegates to diocesan synod, Percy Wollaston, R. Ross Sutherland, Frank Burrell, A. J. Dallain, John Harvey, B. H. Tyrrwhitt-Drake.

Delegates to rural-decanal conference, A. J. Dallain, T. Elkington, A. R. Merrix.

Auditors, F. Bolston and F. F. Fall.

Sidesmen, W. S. Miles, A. E. Greenwood, E. A. Greenwood, C. Nickerson, H. Fuller, C. Bishop, Eden Quainton, Eric Quainton, W. O. Cockett, Cyril Price, Arthur Shaw, Lewis Fall, E. J. Hopkins, G. Frampton, E. Jones, C. Godson, C. Connorton and T. Woolison.

Votes of Thanks

Votes of thanks and appreciation were accorded the retiring vestry clerk, T. Elkington, who has served the parish faithfully for a number of years; also to the wardens and members of the church committee. Assurance was also given by several laymen present that appreciation of the Dean's action in declining other offers to remain as rector of the Cathedral parish would find expression in an even larger measure of support to his work and ministry from the churchmen and women of the parish.

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Spun Silk, 29 inches wide. Reg. $1.95. Sale at, per yard, **$1.59**
Silk Poplin, 36 inches wide. Regular $1.85. Sale at, per yard **$1.50**
Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide. Reg. $2.25. Sale, at **$1.69**
Messaline Silk, 36 inches wide. Reg. $2.25. Sale, at **$1.69**
Taffeta Silk, 36 inches wide. Reg. $2.50. Sale, at **$1.95**

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HOCKEY BULLETINS

EDMONTON, Jan. 11.—For 27 minutes' overtime Calgary Canadians and Edmonton Dominions last night battled furiously in a futile attempt to dissolve a 2 to 2 tie. Under Big Four rules, play had to be called at 11 o'clock, and at that hour neither team had scored in the overtime.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—Winnipegs won their first victory in the Manitoba Senior Hockey League last night, defeating the strong Brandon outfit, 6 to 3, in a ragged exhibition.

SASKATOON, Jan. 11.—The Saskatoon Crescents maintained their position at the top of the Saskatchewan League here last night, when they defeated Regina Vics, 4 to 0.

CALGARY, Jan. 11.—Calgary Tigers went into first place in the Alberta Big Four Hockey League race by administering a 6 to 2 trimming to the Edmonton Eskimos here last night.

MOOSE JAW, Jan. 11.—In the last period of a senior S.H.A. game here last night, the Millers scored two goals and downed Weyburn, 4 to 2.

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JUNIOR ICE HOCKEY SCHEDULE REVISED

Mic-Macs, Meridacs and Bays Will Compete for the City Championship and Handsome Prizes

A meeting was held last evening at the Y. M. C. A. to reorganize the junior ice hockey league. The Onwe-gos, one of the original clubs in the league, decided to drop out and the Mic-Macs are taking their place in the league. The schedule was rearranged as follows:

Jan. 15—Mic-Macs vs. Meridacs.
Jan 22—Bays vs. Mic-Macs.
Jan. 29—Meridacs vs. Bays.
Feb. 5—Mic-Macs vs. Meridacs.
Feb. 12—Bays vs. Mic-Macs.
Feb. 19—Meridacs vs. Bays.
Feb. 26—Mic-Macs vs. Meridacs.
March 5—Bays vs. Mic-Macs.
March 12—Meridacs vs. Bays.

These games will be played each Saturday afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock, and the teams will be contending for the junior city championship, and the winners will compete later for the Provincial junior championship and the O'Brien Cup, now held by the Bluebirds, of Vancouver. Messrs. E. G. Prior & Co., Ltd., have kindly offered a prize of a pair of skates for the highest individual scorer.

KELLER GETS CHANCE TO BOX DEMPSEY

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 11.—Terry Keller, heavyweight boxer, who has been making his home here for several months, has been selected to meet Jack Dempsey, world champion, in a six-round bout at Milwaukee, January 24, the Milwaukee boxing commission announced today.

Easy for Schneider

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—In the opening professional bout of Bert Schneider, one time amateur Olympic champion welterweight, here last night, he knocked out Jerry Cole, of Allentown, Pa., in the fourth round of a scheduled 10-round bout. Cole was obviously out of condition and was so fat that the spectators called him "Fatty Arbuckle."

SENIOR BASKETBALL TEAMS MAKE DEBUT

Crusaders and Christ Church Scheduled to Meet Tonight at Y.M.C.A. in the Sunday School League

Two fast games in the Sunday School basketball league are billed for tonight at the Y. M. C. A. At 9 o'clock the St. Paul's intermediates meet the St. Mary's intermediate five. The players are requested to be on the floor at 9 o'clock sharp so that there will be no delay in starting the games.

This game will be followed at 9:30 by the senior "A" division game between the Crusaders and Christ Church. This should be the best game yet played, as these two teams are very evenly matched and each team is out to register its first win. Lewis Fatt and Ted Hopkins will lead the attack for the Christ Church five, while the Crusaders will rely on Jimmy Buckett and Scotty Dowds to keep their team in the lead. This is the first time these two teams appear this season, so it is impossible to predict with any certainty which will be the winner.

CANUCKS WIN FROM FIFESHIRE CURLERS

GLASGOW, Jan. 11.—The Canadian curling team continued its victorious career today with another win at Edinburgh, defeating West Fifeshire by 71 shots.

The individual Canadian scores were: B. H. Douglas, Hamilton, Ontario, 17; A. E. Swift, Ottawa, 15; W. H. Semple, Truro, N.S., 21; W. F. Payne, Winnipeg, 20; Dr. S. T. White, Shelburne, Ont., 30; J. A. Johnston, Baldur, Man., 18. Total Canadian score, 121; Fifeshire's total score was 50.

Lost First Match

In their first match with the curlers of Lanarkshire, the Canadian curlers were admittedly under the disadvantage of starting play so soon after a long journey and it was no surprise when the Canadians were defeated by a score of 98 to 57. After the first hour the Scots of Lanark held a lead of 20, which they steadily increased. The Canadian scores: Payne, 5; Johnston, 18; Douglas, 10; Waddell, 7; Airth, 5; Semple, 12.

SHIPPING STRIKE PREVENTS JOHNSTON FROM COMING HOME

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—William Johnston, of San Francisco, member of the United States Davis Cup tennis team, has been forced to postpone his departure for home from New Zealand because of the shipping strike and will remain with the team to compete in the exhibition matches in Melbourne.

MRS. SYLVIA FOSTER, of Buffalo, N. Y., who says she wishes she could go into every home and tell how Taniac completely restored her health after she had lost all hope of ever being well again.

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"My heart palpitated so dreadfully at times that it seemed like it had stopped altogether and I would think my time had come. I was so weak that I couldn't go up the steps without holding to the railing. It was impossible for me to do any housework. I was so nervous that I couldn't drink my tea or coffee without spilling it.

"My sleep was restless and broken and I would have smothering spells and would just have to get up and go to the window so I could breathe.

"I finally started taking Taniac on the advice of a friend and before I had finished taking the second bottle my neighbors could tell I was improving right along. Well, it has only taken five bottles to restore my health completely.

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VICTORIA CRICKETERS HIT FOUR CENTURIES

F. F. Kelly, of 243 West Ninety-ninth Street, New York City, gives out the following list of centuries hit in the Dominion during the past season:

August 28—F. A. A. Baars, W. M. Silcock's XI. vs. J. H. Nichols' XI., at Vancouver, 103x.

July 17—A. Edwards, Dovercourt vs. St. Cyprians, at Toronto, 101x.

August 26—G. C. Grant, Victoria vs. Cowichan, at Victoria, 103.

August 27—G. H. Kinch, Incogs vs. Cowichan, at Victoria, 101x.

July 17—J. C. M. Ligertwood, Wanderers vs. East Kildonians, at Winnipeg, 115x.

May 8—H. Lock, Congos vs. Army and Navy, at Victoria, 117.

July 17—J. Macfarlane, Wanderers vs. East Kildonians, at Winnipeg, 104x.

August 26—J. R. Matson, Victoria vs. Cowichan, at Victoria, 124.

August 26—W. Paris, Grace Church vs. West Toronto, at Toronto, v.

August 28—F. J. Peers, Olbs vs. Victoria, at Victoria, 128.

September 18—T. Smith, Wanderers' C. vs. Wanderers' A., at Winnipeg, 103R.

May 8—A. Wakefield, Albions vs. St. Edmonds, at Toronto, 102R.

August 7—O. Wallace, Lachine vs. Westmount, at Montreal, 114.

May 5—H. G. Wookey, Rosedale vs. West Toronto, at Toronto, 110x.

x Denotes not out.
R Denotes retired.
v Score not obtainable.

AUSTRALIAN CHAMP IS STRONG CONTENDER

Amateur Billiardist Makes Great Impression in First Heat for English Title In London

LONDON, Jan. 10.—The entry of J. R. Hooper, the Australian champion, invests this season's competition for the amateur billiard championship with special interest, and in the first heat between him and S. S. Christy it was very clearly shown that he is a formidable opponent for the best amateur talent in the country. Wearing a green shade over his eyes, and prematurely aged in appearance by illness, he is a distinctive figure at the table, and though unfamiliar with ivory balls, he made a great impression in his game with Christy. He gave a brilliant all-round display, and at the end of the day held a lead of 729 points on the first thousand. Though experiencing some difficulty with the balls on Tuesday, he had no difficulty in winning, the score being: J. R. Hooper, 2,000; S. S. Christy, 994.

MAY UNIFY CODE FOR WORLD'S SERIES

Six-Man Hockey Will Probably Prevail in Play-Off for the Championship Between the West and East

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10.—When the champions of the Eastern hockey world come West in quest of a world's championship some time in March, they may be afforded some chance to play for the title under rules with which they are familiar, it is rumored in Coast circles. Officials of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association, while declining to make an announcement at this stage concerning world's series plans, have intimated that the day is rapidly approaching when there must be a change which will bring teams, champs of the East and West, together under one code. The Pacific Coast Hockey Association, it is believed, is willing, as it has been in many other matters which have helped the great Winter sport, to grant concessions to the East, in as much as they will probably consent to one set of rules to govern future world's series.

Six Man Rules

Six man rules will prevail in future, it is understood, the West agreeing to give the Easterners the edge. They are doing so, believing such a move to be in the interests of the sport. At present the series is played on a fifty-fifty basis, the home team having the advantage of one more game under their own rules than the invaders. While the matches have always been stirring affairs, there has always been a feeling of dissatisfaction in fandom. When the East wins in the East the fans out here claim that it was due to the fact that the majority of the games were under the Eastern rules, and when the West wins in the West the Eastern fans argue the same way. Hence the decision of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association, which is expected to be officially announced shortly, to have the world's series played under uniform rules.

Ask One Concession

In agreeing to play six man hockey in the annual Derby, the Coasters will seek one concession. They will ask the Northwest Hockey League to agree to the Coast centre offside area. The East has a much smaller area, but it is not expected that they will offer any opposition to the Coast plan as the Pacific Coast Hockey Association is giving away more in agreeing to six man hockey when the league matches are all played under seven man rules.

That uniform rules will help the annual classic is the opinion of all associated with the game and the Pacific Coast Hockey Association deserves a lot of credit for paving the way for a uniform system. This season the Eastern champs came West for the first series under uniform rules.

SNOW INTERFERES WITH SOCCER DATES

Wests and Metropolis Will Play Here on Saturday—Game Brought Forward on League Schedule

Once more it has been found necessary to make a change in the schedule of the Vancouver Island Football League. Snow in the Upper-Island districts has interfered with the arrangements and made it impossible to play the game as originally scheduled. On Saturday next, therefore, play will be confined to local teams, and the Wests and Mets will meet in the game, which is scheduled for January 23. This game will be played at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:30, and P. C. Payne will officiate as referee.

If the weather conditions are favorable, South Wellington and Nanaimo will play their league fixture at the Up-Island city.

V.I.A.A. LADIES WON

In the report in The Colonist of the ladies' ice hockey game played on the occasion of the visit of the B.C. University teams here on Saturday, it was stated in error that the Victoria Girls' Ice Hockey Club defeated the University of British Columbia Girls' hockey team. The winning team should have been designated as the ladies' team of the Victoria and Island Athletic Association, familiarly known as the V.I.A.A.

NO LONGER ROWDIES!

NANAIMO, Jan. 11.—From Rowdies to Rovers was the change in name made by the Brookside football boys at Sunday's meeting. The officers of the Brookside Rovers are: Honorary president, Robt. Adam; president, W. Southern; manager, M. Horne; trainer, J. Dawson; secretary-treasurer, E. Wilson; assistant manager, J. Gorton.

ISLAND BASKETBALL

Sooke Harbor Team Wins From the Cement Workers—Improvement in Form

The Sooke Harbor basketball team had a win on Saturday night last at their hall, when they succeeded in beating the Tod Inlet Cement Works' team by 30 to 18. The game was particularly fast and clean, and both teams showed very considerable improvement in their form in comparison with games earlier in the series. The teams were as follows: Sooke—T. Wright (capt.), W. Liddell, A. McNamara, B. Acreman and G. McIntosh. Tod Inlet—H. Stevens (capt.), L. McLean, N. Parsell, H. Braddock, D. Prescott. Referee, H. Young. The visiting team was afterwards entertained at the Sooke Hotel.

SOCCER FIXTURES IN COMBINATION LEAGUE

Following are the soccer games arranged at last night's meeting to be played on Saturday in the Victoria Combination League: Firemen vs. Sons of England, at Beacon Hill lower ground; referee, Lock. Garrison vs. G. W. V. A., at Work Point; referee, Jasper. Comrades vs. Metropolis intermediates, at Central Park; referee, Payne.

All games are scheduled to start at 2:30 p.m.

JUNIOR SOCCER

The following junior league soccer games will be played on Saturday, being postponed games from last week: James Bays vs. Foresters, at Beacon Hill upper ground, referee Horan. Rockside Roosters vs. Naval Brigade, at Central Park lower ground, referee Campbell. Both games to start at 2:30 p.m.

Chaney K.O.'s Murphy

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.—George (Knockout) Chaney, Baltimore, knocked out Al Murphy, Scranton, Pa., here tonight in the fifth round of a scheduled eight-round bout. Chaney had the better of the fight all the way. In the first round, he sent the Scranton boxer to the floor for the count of nine. The men are lightweights.

HOCKEY BULLETINS

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IN THE COURTS

COURT OF APPEAL

After occupying the attention of the court throughout four entire daily sessions, hearing of the appeal in the case of Thynne vs. Victoria, Vancouver & Eastern Railway Company was concluded in the Court of Appeal yesterday. The appeal was taken by the company against the judgment of Mr. Justice Murphy, in the Supreme Court, who awarded the plaintiff damages in the sum of $7,000, on account of alleged flooding of plaintiff's lands through the building of the railway's embankment, on Otter Creek, Hope Mountains. Judgment of the court was reserved. Mr. A. H. MacNeill, K.C., appeared for the defendants-appellant; and Messrs. Joseph Martin, K.C., and A. E. Beck, K.C., for the plaintiff-respondent.

Aghion vs. Stevens

The case of Aghion vs. Stevens, in which the plaintiff is appealing from the judgment of Mr. Justice Morrison, in the Supreme Court, came on for hearing in the Court of Appeal yesterday. Mr. A. Bull, in opening the case for the plaintiff-appellant, said that Mr. Aghion was a commercial broker of Paris, France; while the defendant company was an American corporation, licenced in the Province, with offices in Vancouver and headquarters in Portland, Oregon. The commodity involved in the dispute was a canned mixture of milk and rice. The plaintiff had ordered 8,000 cases of this product, for the use of French prisoners of war in Germany. Delivery was to be made, at the rate of 2,000 cases per month, during the months of May to August, 1917. The agreement, as alleged by the plaintiff, was for the delivery of the product at the rate of $7.40 per case, including cost and freight, at a port of France. Plaintiff further alleged that this agreement had been based on an allowance of $3 per case for inclusive freight charges. After the agreement was made, said Mr. Bull, ocean freight rates had advanced at such an extraordinary speed that the defendant company, after it had delivered only 2,000 cases up to August, 1917, had pleaded its inability to carry out the original contract. At the request of the company, the plaintiff had arranged freight accommodation, through the French Government, at what he alleged was a substantial saving to the company over the $3 freight rate contemplated. In consideration of this saving the defendant company had made the plaintiff an allowance of $1,743 on the first shipment of 2,000 cases. The remaining 6,000 cases were ultimately shipped to France, and it was for a corresponding allowance on that shipment, to that made for the first, that the plaintiff had brought suit for $3,881. The suit had been dismissed by Mr. Justice Morrison; and hence the appeal. The hearing will be continued today. Mr. Justice Eberts, who received news last Monday of the death of his brother, was not on the bench during the hearing yesterday. Mr. A. H. MacNeill, K.C., is appearing for the defendant-respondent.

Peremptory List

The peremptory list of cases to be heard in the Court of Appeal today is as follows: Aghion vs. Stevens (at bar); Re estate of G. Wales, deceased; and Rex. vs. McKenzie.

COUNTY COURT

In the County Court Judge's Criminal Court yesterday, Beatrice Wildgust and Mary Milligrove, recently committed for trial by Magistrate Jay in the city police court, pleaded guilty before His Honor Judge Lampman to charges of shoplifting. The learned judge remanded the accused for sentence until this morning. Mr. J. A. Aikman appeared for the accused; and Mr. J. S. Brandon prosecuted for the Crown.

Rex vs. Ferguson

Ordering that the public be excluded, and the case tried in camera, His Honor Judge Lampman, presiding in the County Court Judge's Criminal Court yesterday, proceeded with the trial of Russell Ferguson. The accused was recently committed for trial by Magistrate Jay, in the city police court. After the case for the prosecution had been presented yesterday by Mr. J. S. Brandon, who is appearing for the Crown, Mr. Harold Appelbe, who is appearing for the defence, moved that the charge be dismissed. The learned judge adjourned the case until today.

PLAN CHILD WELFARE WORK FOR VICTORIA

Meeting Tonight in the Provincial Library Will Hear Report on Organization

There is to be a meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the Library room of the Parliament Buildings of the Vancouver Island Child Welfare Council, at which the executive committee will report on organization and make plans for the Victoria local.

The work of organization was commenced a few weeks ago, and has been proceeding quietly to the point where it is felt possible to launch out and extend the work. The council is a provincial body, and an adjunct to the National Council on Child Welfare which was formed in Ottawa last October at a conference of all the voluntary organizations in the Dominion. Work has been carried on throughout the Dominion by this council, and British Columbia is well to the fore with their work. In addition to the Vancouver Island Council a Mainland Council is forming, and from the two will be selected a Provincial executive. The intention is to unite all the organizations which have been devoting any of their time to child welfare work, and to follow out a definite and Dominion-wide programme.

Washington, D. C., is practically at sea level, having a tidal basin in Potomac Park.

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Intercollegiate Rugby May Be Annual Event

SPORTING NEWS

English 'Varsities May Row at Poughkeepsie

TRYING TO ARRANGE ANNUAL RUGBY MEET

Expected That Stanford, Washington and B.C. Universities Will Agree to Intercollegiate Series Each Year

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 10.—British Columbia will make an effort to interest the University of Washington in rugby, with a view to staging an annual international intercollegiate series which would bring together the British Columbia, Washington, and Stanford (California) varsities. The question of doing some missionary work along these lines was discussed by representatives of the Vancouver Rugby Union and H. W. Maloney, president of the California Rugby Union, who was here in charge of the Stanford footballers for the annual holiday series.

Assurance was forthcoming from Stanford that the Californians would be prepared to annually meet with British Columbia and Washington on the rugby field, and it is confidently expected that such a series will be arranged. It is not the intention of the officials to ask either Stanford or Washington to pass up their own game, but to keep the English sport going among those who are anxious to play it.

The University of British Columbia handed Stanford a surprise package during the recent series here. They lost to the British Columbia Varsity in the first annual match for the handsome trophy offered by a local sportsman for competition between the two universities.

EXTEND INVITATION TO ENGLISH CREWS

Oxford and Cambridge, Toronto and Continental Varsities May Compete at Poughkeepsie Regatta This Year

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—An invitation to University and College crews of the world to compete in the intercollegiate championship regatta at Poughkeepsie on June 22 was made at the annual meeting of the board of stewards of the intercollegiate rowing association today.

The invitation is understood to include the English Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, the University of Toronto and such colleges of continental Europe as may maintain a scholastic standard similar to Columbia, Cornell and Pennsylvania.

Specific invitations will be issued to other American colleges which in the past have entered crews for the Hudson titular regatta.

DATE SET FOR LEWIS TO WRESTLE CADDOCK

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis, world's champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler, will defend his title against Earl Caddock, former champion, in a one-fall finish match here January 24, it was announced tonight.

Roger Hornsby's Price

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The offer of $300,000 and four players for second-baseman Roger Hornsby, which Manager Rickey, of the St. Louis Nationals, recently announced he had declined, was not made by the New York Nationals, Treasurer McQuade and Secretary O'Brien, of the Giants, declared yesterday. They said the New York club had made no further effort to obtain the Cardinal star after a bid of $200,000 and four players was refused.

Drug Store Blaze—Fire originating from a defective stove pipe did considerable damage to the drug store at the corner of Cook and Oxford Streets at 2 o'clock this morning. The rear portion of the store premises were ablaze when the fire brigade arrived, but the flames were quickly subdued.

THE NEW LONDON AS A FRENCHMAN SEES IT

By a Visitor From France

For the first time for nine years I have re-visited London. Yet in pre-war days I must have crossed the Channel fully a hundred times.

From 1911 to 1920 is a long stretch, but not long enough to account for the bewildering change which has taken place in the London that I knew. On the many trips across the Channel which I undertook in the old days I never landed beneath the high white cliffs of Dover without the sensation of entering a strange land.

The English have never quite realized, it seems to me, how utterly different from France England at first sight appeared to the eyes of the French. The queer colored trains, the red-coated soldiers, the newspaper posters in the streets—I could cite you examples of a hundred little things which leapt to the French eye.

Perhaps because of our inborn disinclination from foreign travel—I, as a born Parisian, am the first to admit this failing of ours—the scene on the landing stage at Dover or Folkestone was as strange to French eyes as though one were to plant a corner, say, of the Gobi desert on the grand boulevards.

But the war has changed all that. Maybe we in France have become accustomed to the sight of British faces, of British khaki, to the sound of the English tongue on the Channel speboard during the war. Maybe our alliance has brought not only the hearts but also the minds of our two peoples closer together. The fact remains that to me, passing from France to England the other day, the Channel crossing had ceased to be an adventure. It was but a step which landed me almost imperceptibly in English surroundings.

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Am I wrong in surmising that the war has tended to continentalize the English? Have you not become less self-absorbed, less stiff? Friendly you have always been, even in the darkest days of Anglo-French estrangement, and the politeness of all classes, down to the humblest folk, has always filled me with affectionate respect. But I am greatly struck to find that there is so much more knowledge of foreign peoples in England than there was. It is revealed in a much quicker understanding of English even as badly "broken" as mine and a much readier sympathy with the foreigner.

Most travelers have noticed that each capital has its characteristic odor. Paris, so my English friends tell me, smells of burning peat or damp wood. To me the scent of London was a mixture of tobacco smoke, hops and railway fumes.

But even the oder of London has changed. The old familiar acrid scent which rose to the nostrils as the boat train thundered across the river has vanished—at least such was my experience; smothered in the all-pervading perfume of petrol.

London seems cleaner, more crowded than of yore. And people are busier. There are fewer 'flaneurs'. I miss sadly in your hurrying throngs the most characteristic London touch of all, the splash of the soldier's red coat.

But I recognize with intense satisfaction the whole-hearted sympathy for France which pervades every class, which makes our cordial understanding a living link between our two peoples in a degree which, I sometimes think, is not fully appreciated by my countrymen at home.

CREEPING RIMS ADD TO COST OF TIRES

When the shoulders on the wheel designed to hold the demountable rim become worn the rim and its tire will creep on the wheel. Naturally this makes the valve stem project at an acute angle and if continued long enough may cut it off. If the valve stem is held firmly by means of a cap the strain falls upon the lower portion of the stem and that part of the inner tube which surrounds it. In this connection it is well to call attention to the need for tightening the rim lugs by degrees. If they are fully tightened one after the other and all the way round the wheel, there is apt to be too much space on one side of the wheel and too little on the other.

MR. NORTH TALKS OF POLICE METHODS

Relates Personal Dealings With Force as Proof of Great Need of Change — Stands for Clean Law and Order

The story that Mr. Joe North has been aching to tell for ten years was unfolded to the public last night at the Princess Theatre, to a crowd that filled every seat in the building, packed the upstairs and overflowed into the aisles and behind the scenes. At an early hour every seat was taken and before the meeting was supposed to start the doors had been closed and locked, with a vast crowd on the outside clamoring for admission.

Police methods were described in the detail that only lengthy experience with the arm of the law could make possible, and the sallies of the speaker brought forth unstinted applause from the audience. His campaign speech consisted chiefly of a recital of his dealings with the forces of the law, the plain statement of which he considered sufficiently condemnatory to show the need of a general clean-up in that department.

"I have great respect for law and order, but I want it clean," he began. "I have no animosity towards any of the police or detective forces of the city; I have no spite against anyone, but I say that sometimes they forget they are public servants. What I am trying to get is a clean administration of the law in the interior of jails. They take a man off to jail and if he is guilty he has the use of the telephone and everything he wants. But if he is not guilty he has no chance at the telephone or anything else until they have made him guilty. I am here because I want no one else to receive the treatment at their hands that I have."

Feels Better Now

"All this is like a book to me," said Joe, getting into his stride. "I've had it in me for ten years and I'll feel a better man when I get it out of me," he declared, making a start on the first of his stories that would take his audience to New Westminster, Vancouver, San Francisco and back to Victoria.

In New Westminster, in 1908, he had been "turning the wheel for candy" at the Fair, working for Kirk, the coal man. In a jovial mood he had invited a chance policeman to have a drink, had repeated the invitation, and been taken in charge as drunk and disorderly. That was the first time he had ever been arrested, and he felt like a lion. They had taken his money from him, he didn't know how much he had, and they wouldn't let him count it. He asked for the use of the phone so often that they gave him a cell of his own. He cut his hand on the bar of the window. A doctor was refused. "I wasn't drunk, and if a doctor had been allowed to see me I would have had it on them." The next day he was about to go out on bail. They gave him back his money, $5 in bills. "I had more than that when I came in," he said. "Are you talking to me?" asked the constable. "No, I'm talking to the sergeant," he replied. "You can't get bail, back in again," said the sergeant, and back he went to his cell. Finally he did get out after paying $7.50 fine, "which was all they could give me," and had had four stitches put into his hand. He gave up the job and came back to Victoria. "I went to Sir Richard McBride about this. He told me 'the best thing you can do, Joe, is drop it.' So I dropped it."

In Victoria one night Joe quarreled with a gentleman who made a living selling chameleons, and who was ill-treating them. On the street next day he met the same man and asked a police officer to arrest him or stop him selling these chameleons. The officer knocked him down. "Don't do that," said Joe. "If I have done wrong, arrest me, but don't do that." The officer knocked him down again.

Meeting the chameleon seller again on Government Street, a crowd of 400 gathered around to hear the argument. Joe demanded arrest as the man responsible for the disturbance. When brought to the police station the charge against him was not of disturbance, but drunk and disorderly. At his mother's request he decided not to fight the case. After several adjournments he went to the late Mr. Gardner, the clerk of the court, saying he wanted to plead guilty and get it over with. Mr. Gardner said there was no charge against him on the books. After conferring with Chief Langley a charge was put against him and he was fined again. "When there was no charge against me, they had my money in court as bail," said Joe.

Ticket Scalping

In Vancouver he had done a little ticket scalping at lacrosse games. Plain clothes men had taken him to the station. "I thought I was in for ticket scalping, but the charge was drunk and disorderly. There was no bail, no 'phone. They took my shoes off me when I kicked at the door. Then they put a drunk in with me. He was a peach and went to the mat with me. I called for help and when the door opened I walked out. There was an officer on either side, it was just clap, clap, clap, and down I went."

"You can't beat them," said Joe, referring to the police. He had an altercation with a hotel man at the C. P. R. docks one day. Adams, the C. P. R. policeman, called the patrol, arresting both of them. When the patrol was coming Adams told the other guy to beat it. Joe, "for fighting alone," was fined $20. They wouldn't let him bring his witnesses.

One rainy day Adams pushed him off the C. P. R. steps. He summoned Adams. Dick Heather swore Adams didn't push him, but that he slipped down under the influence of liquor. If this was true, why didn't they arrest him in the first place?

Joe is not a prohibitionist, and if the new liquor law is a good one he will see it is enforced.

The police seized a keg of beer from one Harry Emmet. The conviction was quashed by Judge Lampman. The liquor was returned, but Emmet had to call for it, and when he got it back the keg was half empty. Where did the liquor go?

Gambling was rampant in Chinatown, said Joe, flourishing a lottery ticket and a cigar that he had got that very afternoon. If you play two tickets you get a bottle of beer and a cigar, he explained.

His letters to the papers had not been puplished. There should be a law forcing papers to publish letters, thought Joe.

If the state can afford a prosecuting attorney, it can pay for a poor man's lawyer, was another suggestion.

A number of questions were fired at Mr. Alec Peden by Joe in concluding.

AGREES CONTEST WAS "ACCIDENT"

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"Victoria needs a new hospital and a general readjustment in hospital service. The Jubilee Hospital is obsolete and for that reason difficult to manage and enormously costly. It is overcrowded most of the time, and we must have relief. I hope we will be able to find solution in the Provincial Government assuming more responsibility than it has in the past.

To Avoid Personalities.

"I agree at the commencement of the campaign that, so far as I am concerned, there will be no personalities in this contest. I intend to carry out my part of the bargain whether my opponent does or not.

'Alderman Patrick says that it was just by accident that he became a candidate. I quite believe it. He never spoke a truer word, but I hope it wasn't a serious accident. However, I am afraid the general effect has sent him up in the air and by about Thursday he will reach the ground.

"Alderman Patrick says that his platform was conceived by him during the year. He must have a wonderful imagination.

He claims that I stole things from his platform. I took nothing from his platform, because I saw nothing in it worth taking.

"Alderman Patrick says the Council should not concern itself with small things, and that it should concentrate on the larger issues. After his performance so far. I wonder what his definition of smallness is.

"I have served the city for nine years, six as an alderman, one year as a member of the Hospital Board, and two years as mayor. I offer no apologies. I did my best, and I am satisfied to appeal for support this time solely on my past achievements."

Mr. S. G. Peele

Mr. Stanley G. Peele, candidate for Police Commissioner, criticized Police Commissioner F. M. Linklater for not appearing on the public platform at this time. "I believe that any man who is out to succeed himself should give an account of his stewardship," he declared. He contended that the Mayor should not be a member of the commission, as his connection would place him in an embarrassing position at times, and he decored the retiring administration for its policy of secretiveness.

Ald. E. B. Andros

Ald. E. B. Andros, seeking re-election, said he had been a member of the Council for four consecutive years and that he had at all times tried to do what he thought was in the interests of the many as against the few. If re-elected, he intended to follow the same course.

Mrs. Spofford

Mrs. Cecilia Spofford, candidate for re-election to the School Board, stated that the school population was increasing steadily, and that while the cost of maintenance had risen rapidly, she felt sure that last year's board had exercised wisdom in distributing the funds at its disposal. She advocated the employment of a medical man to give his entire time to school work.

Mr. A. M. Aitken

"Our first need is industries," declared Mr. A. M. Aitken, who, after two years of service on the School Board, is a candidate for alderman. "We have got an invaluable asset in climate that enables industries to operate every day of the year. We have the men and the materials."

He criticized the Victoria and Island Development Association, and said that the city might as well spend its $7,000 appropriation in charity. Permanent attractions for residents would have to be provided, and he said that Victoria must have a solidified community spirit above everything else. Too many people, he asserted, were willing to sacrifice the city to satisfy their own personal ends.

Mr. A. C. Pike

Mr. A. C. Pike, Labor candidate for the School Board, said that while the Trades and Labor Council was formerly opposed to the affiliated college plan, now that it had been established he felt that it should be supported. If elected he would investigate fully the conditions surrounding the establishment of the institution.

Mr. George Jay

Mr. George Jay, candidate for re-election to the School Board after a year's retirement following nineteen years of service, said that while he had not lost his interest in schoool affairs, he had entered the field only as a result of the many requests he had received within the past two weeks.

Mr. J. A. Shanks

Mr. J. A. "Five Points" Shanks said he agreed with the Porter platform and if the Mayor wasn't elected, he would carry on, anyway. He felt that Victoria needed industries more than anything else, and also swimming baths.

Mr. Ivan Seabrook

Mr. J. Ivan Seabrook, candidate for alderman, was also out for industrial development, and he declared that he was ready to fight for them persistently in the Council. He had spent years in devising plans for industrial expansion and he desired an opportunity to test them out.

Ald. Sangster

Ald. George Sangster, who was chairman of the Streets Committee during the last two years, explained the reason for delay in paving Esquimalt Road, stating that difficulty in determining the ownership of the land involved had held up negotiations. He expected that the Government would dedicate Alston Street to the city, and this would hasten action.

Ex-Ald. Walker

Ex-Ald. Walter Walker, candidate for the Council, said that as far back as 1856 he had served as a school trustee. In the years he had been an alderman the Council had done important work. He said that the city's first responsibility was to clarify the tax situation and until that was done it could not postpone projects such as swimming baths.

Dr. Hugh Clarke

Dr. Hugh Clarke, candidate for the Police Commission, said he had had three years of police experience and considered this would be of assistance to him if elected. He was in favor of an efficient, business-like administration of police affairs, and said he supported police pensions.

Mr. C. Sivertz

Mr. Christian Sivertz, Labor candidate for the Council, said that unemployment and tax delinquency were two problems that must be settled as early as possible, and he would give every effort to reach a solution.

Mr. E. S. Woodward

Mr. E. S. Woodward, Labor candidate for the Council, devoted most of his time to a discussion of hospital affairs and unemployment. Both these matters demanded early remedy, and he felt that the presence of representatives of the working class in the Council when these questions were considered was of utmost importance. He referred to claims that his colleague, Mr. Sivertz, was an alien. He denied this and declared that Mr. Sivertz had spent years in the labor movement and was idolized.

Major Riddell

Major F. J. Riddell, candidate for re-election to the School Board, was proud of the board's record last year. He spoke of the establishment of the affiliated college and predicted a bright future for it.

Mr. John Day

"Civic contentment will help Victoria, as it has helped every other city," said Mr. John Day, candidate for alderman. "To attain that we must provide the foundations for civic prosperity which will affect the business man, the worker and the property owner. We should welcome the tourists, but we must give them something more than the climate.

Capt. Gidley acted as chairman.

Car Washing Directions

When washing the car, don't turn the hose directly on the wheels or body unless the water pressure is very low. Pressure usually built up by the nozzle is sufficient to mar the paint or dislodge it where the water is foolishly dashed against the surface. The best way is to use a pail of water and a sponge. Then much gentler treatment of the paint will result. Always be sure the sponge used is free of grit or dirt which might scratch the finish if rubbed over it.—Motor Life.

ENJOYABLE BANQUET

Members of the First Baptist Church Have Social Evening—Will Form Brotherhood

An informal banquet, under the auspices of the ladies of the congregation, was held last evening in the First Baptist Church, when sixty members sat down to a splendid repast. Rev. P. C. Parker presided, and a meeting was held afterwards, when Mr. Graham, of the Y.M.C.A., gave an interesting address on the plans and possibilities for men's organization work. Messrs. Harold Beckwith, and C. McIntosh, gave dialect recitations, and Mr. Steves delighted the audience with some vocal solos. Rev. P. C. Parker and Dr. Russell then gave brief addresses.

It was decided to arrange for a Brotherhood of the Church, and the following provisional committee was appointed to draw up a constitution and suggest officers: Messrs. W. Dinsmore, Hamilton, Haverstock, Parsons and Henson.

The police at a fashionable Summer resort in Massachusetts have unearthed a rather unique method of smuggling illegal liquor to the consumer. Traffic cop mannikins, six inches tall, with one arm extended to direct traffic, were sold as souvenirs. Each copper had a cork under his raised arm, and when this was removed the purchaser inhaled two drinks. However, the revenue officers' efficiency has removed one booth of souvenirs into oblivion.

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JAMES CARRUTHERS TAKES TO SEA AGAIN

Damaged Trawler Left Yarrows Yesterday Looking Like New Vessel — Amur Here for New Propeller

The trawler James Carruthers left Yarrows at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon bound for Vancouver on her way north, after a lengthy period at the Esquimalt repair plant. The Carruthers, owned by the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company, was damaged in a collision with the United States steamer Surveyor in Queen Charlotte Sound several months ago, and following the accident was beached by her captain to prevent a total loss of the vessel. The rough treatment thus sustained necessitated extensive repairs, and after being docked at Prince Rupert she was brought south to Yarrows and fitted with practically a new bottom. Sixty new plates were fitted, and a new keel and stem bar. The job was one of the most interesting carried out at Yarrows in a long time, and when the Carruthers departed yesterday, she steamed out of the harbor with the appearance of a ship on her maiden voyage.

The steamer Amur, of the Griffiths Line, arrived at Esquimalt yesterday morning, and will be fitted with a new propeller at Yarrows today. The work on the vessel, which includes painting and cleaning, will be finished today.

The salvage steamer Algerine is still at the Esquimalt plant, where she is being converted from a coal-burner to an oil-burning vessel. The work will continue for some time yet.

The Canadian Exporter is due at the drydock early next week.

The Prince Rupert has not yet been taken from the water. The repair work, however, is going ahead rapidly, and a few extra hands are being taken on. As the work progresses it is expected that more men will be needed. Returned men are being given the preference by the yard.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of January, 1921.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8:06	4:27	16	8:01	4:44
2	8:06	4:28	17	8:00	4:47
3	8:06	4:29	18	7:59	4:48
4	8:06	4:30	19	7:58	4:50
5	8:05	4:31	20	7:57	4:52
6	8:05	4:32	21	7:56	4:53
7	8:05	4:33	22	7:55	4:55
8	8:05	4:34	23	7:54	4:56
9	8:05	4:35	24	7:52	4:58
10	8:05	4:37	25	7:50	4:59
11	8:04	4:38	26	7:51	5:01
12	8:04	4:40	27	7:50	5:03
13	8:03	4:41	28	7:48	5:04
14	8:03	4:43	29	7:47	5:05
15	8:02	4:44	30	7:46	5:07
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Canada .....Jan. 22; Jan. 23
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American Line
N. Y.—PLYMOUTH—CHERBOURG
Finland .....Jan. 13, Feb. 10, Mar. 26
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Kroonland .....Feb. 5, Mar. 12, Apr. 16
Lapland .....Feb. 12, Mar. 19, Apr. 23
NEW YORK—HAMBURG
Mongolia .....Jan. 27, Mar. 10, Apr. 21
Manchuria .....Feb. 21, Apr. 7, May 19
PHILADELPHIA-HALIFAX-LIVERPOOL.
From Phila.; Halifax
Haverford .....Jan. 28
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Haverford .....Apr. 22, Apr. 25
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Finland .....Jan. 13, Feb. 10, Mar. 26
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N. Y.—CHERBOURG—SOUTHAMPTON
Adriatic .....Jan. 19, Feb. 16, Apr. 6
NEW YORK—LIVERPOOL
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Vedic .....Jan. 26
Cedric .....Feb. 5, Mar. 12, Apr. 16
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MARAMA CLEARS FOR AUSTRALIA TODAY

The Marama sails for Honolulu and Australasia from Vancouver today, having come up from San Francisco to take the place of the Niagara, held up at Sydney by striking stewards. Captain Aldwell, who brought the Tahiti here on her first trip, is on the bridge of the Marama.

The Niagara is reported as still tied up at Sydney. Communication with Tasmania by steamers was suspended as a result of the strike of the stewards, who, among other demands, insisted on an eight-hour day. The striking men walked calmly off when their demands were not agreed to, leaving hundreds of passengers on the wharves. Anticipating a long struggle, many of the shipowners paid off the entire crews of their vessels.

WANT NO CONNECTION WITH ONE BIG UNION

Shipmasters' Convention at Ottawa Repudiates O.B.U. Advances — Make Statement of Aims of Conference

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—That the convention of the Canadian Merchant Service Guild, Inc., and kindred associations, now in session here, utterly repudiates any overtures of, or in connection with the One Big Union, was made clear in a statement made by the convention press committee today, of which Captain W. L. Gilchrist, of Vancouver, is chairman. In a press item regarding the convention, it was said that the O.B.U. was making efforts to have the various locals of the masters, mates, etc., throughout Canada join its ranks. Captain Gilchrist's disclaimer of any such intention on the part of the organizations represented at the convention was made to offset any efforts that might be made, or inference drawn from the press reports. Further discussing the objects of the convention, Captain Gilchrist said:

To Improve Conditions

"We have met to exchange views with the object of improving our conditions throughout Canada and harmonizing the work along uniform lines. In addition to improving our own conditions, it is one of our objects to improve aids to navigation and otherwise protect the general public. We are also endeavoring to protect instead of jeopardizing the interests of our employers as well as our own. It is only by such unity and mutual understanding that harmony and good public service can be maintained. So far as affiliation between organized labor and our organization is concerned, that is absolutely contrary to our constitution. While we are not affiliating with labor, neither do we seek to destroy it, as we realize that labor, in its own particular sphere, has a perfect right to conduct its business as it chooses, and so have we."

Besides the Canadian Merchant Service Guild, which is the parent organization, others represented include the National Association of Masters, Mates and Pilots, the Great Lakes Guild, and the Atlantic Masters and Mates.

PLANNING DIVISION OF DOLLAR FLEET

Establish Double Service to Orient—One Route to Encircle Globe—Add Two Vessels to Fleet

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Officials of the Dollar Steamship Company announced that it has been decided to divide the Dollar freight fleet into separate units. According to the new plan, the steamship M. S. Dollar, steamship Esther Dollar and steamship Grace Dollar will load at New York and sail via the Panama Canal to San Francisco, then to Shanghai, Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, Calcutta, and probably Colombo, and then via the Suez Canal back to New York.

The steamers Melville Dollar, Bessie Dollar and Harold Dollar will load at New York and travel via the Panama Canal to Vancouver, Shanghai, Hongkong and return via the same route to Vancouver and New York.

A. M. Dollar is now en route to Europe with a view to purchasing two additional steamers, which will give the company four steamers on the trans-Pacific and four steamers on the Suez route. The steamship Stanley Dollar will make a special trip about January 15 to Vancouver from San Francisco to pick up a shipment of blister copper from the Granby Company for New York.

VANCOUVER WANTS GLIMPSE OF FLEET

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—H. H. Stevens, M.P., and W. G. McQuarrie, M.P., have wired the minister of marine urging that the time of the Canadian naval fleet during its stay in British Columbia waters be equally divided between Victoria and Vancouver.

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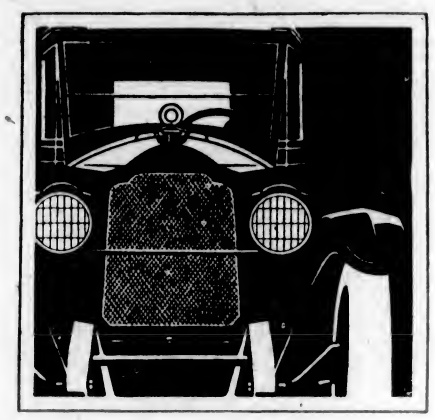

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Marvis Goes Down Four Minutes After Collision With Scow in Foggy Weather—No Loss of Life

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Struck by a gravel-laden scow and crushed like an egg shell, the tugboat Marvis sank in the harbor at 8 o'clock this morning and now lies in sixteen fathoms near the second narrows. The accident occurred in the fog with the Marvis bound up to the gravel bars and the tugboat Earl coming down with a scowload of gravel for the C.P.R. pier fill. As the edge of the loaded scow caught the Marvis it crushed her in and the tugboat went down in three or four minutes. No loss of life is reported, the crew having taken promptly to the scow and to the tugboat Earl. The only member of the crew reported as suffering inconvenience was Chief Engineer Kelly, who got slightly wet. The Marvis, Capt. Coldicott, and the Earl, Captain Rogers, were both engaged in the work of the Pacific construction company on the new C.P.R. pier.

SEBREE CALLING HERE

The Admiral Sebree of the Pacific Steamship Company will call in here for the first time in many months on her present trip north from San Francisco. She was expected to leave the south on Monday, and to arrive here on January 14. The Sebree is a freighter accustomed to ply direct between Vancouver and California ports, and will load at Ocean Falls, Vancouver and Victoria for her outbound trip.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

JANUARY, 1921

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The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of feet, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the Drydock at any tide, add 19.0 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

DOCKING THIS MORNING

Two Japanese passenger liners will dock at the Outer Wharves early this morning. The Fushima Maru is making William Head at midnight tonight and will clear first in the morning. The Alabama Maru is due at daybreak at the Quarantine Station, and will follow upon the heels of the Fushimi.

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Holland-Amerika Line Experiments Successfully With Pacific Coast Fruit—More Vessels for Service

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—The experiment of the Holland-Amerika Line in carrying apples in cold storage from the Pacific coast to Europe has proven successful, it is said, and was one of the reasons for the decision of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Line to decide to send its new 15,000-ton steamers to the Pacific. The Royal Mail co-operates with the Holland-Amerika.

The steamers Eemdijk and Moerdijk, with restricted space for refrigerating cargoes carried apples to the continent and found a large demand for space on the Pacific coast.

The Royal Mail Packet new steamers will be nine in number, 15,000 tons, with 3,000 tons each for refrigerated cargoes. They will run from Pacific coast to Europe, commencing in March and giving at first a monthly service, finally a three-weeks' schedule.

It is said shipping apples and fruit by water route means lower rates and the arrival at the destination in better condition. There is a minimum shrinkage, each ship will be able to carry 45,000 boxes of apples, this means a trainload of sixty cars, as the average carload is 750,000 boxes.

Bonus Distribution

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 11.—Distribution of bonuses totalling in excess of $1,000,000 to employees of the Dodge Brothers Motor Car Company, was being made today.

CANADIAN WAR BOATS BOUND FOR BERMUDA

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—The Canadian fleet of three warships, the Aurora, Patriot and Patrician, is due at Bermuda today, on the first leg of its trip through the Panama Canal and around to Esquimalt and Vancouver. The Department of Naval Service today announced that the ships would leave Bermuda on January 15, going from there to Port of Spain, Trinidad. Here the vessels will engage in gunnery exercises with the British fleet. It is expected that the ships will reach Panama on February 6, leaving that port on February 8. If this programme is carried out, it is likely that the ships will arrive at Victoria about the end of February.

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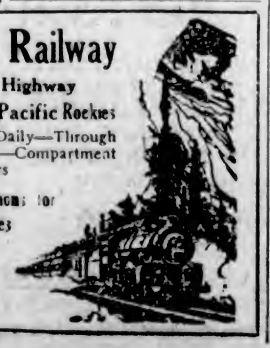

VARIETY

TODAY

Otis Skinner

In

"KISMET"

The Miracle of the Theatre's Art

DOMINION

TODAY

THOMAS MEIGHAN

In

"Conrad in Quest of His Youth"

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ROYAL

TODAY

ANNETTE KELLERMAN

In

"What Women Love"

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AT THE PLAYHOUSES

DOUGLAS DANCERS ARE CHILD WONDERS

Present Artistic Act Which Tops Pantages Variety Bill This Week — "Vocal Verdict" Another Feature.

The new bill at Pantages Theatre, which has its first showing at this afternoon's matinee performance, is one that will have a particular appeal to music-lovers. The singing of Miss Maud Earl is a programme in itself, and this, coupled with other interesting features, makes the show one of outstanding interest.

Headlining the list are the Douglas Dancers, ten children appearing in a remarkable act entitled "Artists in Miniature." It is a beautifully staged offering and is patterned along lines similar to the act presented by the same company a year ago and which won tremendous praise all along the circuit. Each child in the company presents a terpsichorean specialty in true professional style. The twins offer a comedy stunt which never fails to bring out an abundance of laughter.

Maude Earl and company's achievement is one of the most interesting musical creations in vaudeville. Miss Earl is a prima donna with a voice that is pure music, and her costumes are gorgeous. "The Vocal Verdict" is the title of the act, a fantastic singing novelty which is accompanied by appropriate stage settings and superb lighting effects. Much of the harmony is from the better-known grand operas.

Doubtless to many the hit of the show will be "Salvation Molly," a strong dramatic playlet. All the mysticism of the Orient when transported to a North American city, the subtle machinations of the slant-eyed inhabitants of the Far East, the glamor and thrill of San Francisco's Chinatown, are brought to Victoria in this playlet. In the role of the heroine Salvation Molly finds herself enmeshed in an insidious intrigue of scheming evil-doers, and her welfare is threatened. But the denouement finds the man she loved at hand and she managed to return to her friends and safety.

Gymnastic tricks performed in a sensational manner form the whirlwind performance of the Three Bartos, said to be in a class by themselves as athletes. They go through with many stunts that others less skilful would not dare even to contemplate.

Waco, Bligh and McCarty are three sons of jazz, whose programme of singing, instrumental music and jazz dancing is guaranteed to drive away all thought of worry.

The Pals, a quartette of young men with well-trained and perfectly blending voices make up another interesting attraction, and the programme is completed by another instalment of "Pirate Gold," the Pathe adventure serial featuring George B. Seitz.

Croesus' wealth was said to come from the particles of gold in the mud of Pactolus, a small brook in Lydia.

COLUMBIA

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AMUSEMENTS TODAY

The Stage

Princess—"My Irish Rose."
Pantages—Vaudeville.

The Screen

Variety—"Kismet."
Columbia—"Blue Streak McCoy."
Dominion—"Conrad in Quest of His Youth."
Royal—"What Women Love."

Cabaret

Criterion—Belmont House.
Blue Mouse—724 Yates Street

DOMINION THEATRE Margaret Loomis, formerly a dancer in vaudeville, has the leading feminine role opposite Thomas Meighan in William DeMille's new Paramount picture, "Conrad in Quest of His Youth," which will be shown at the Dominion theatre all this week. In this new production Miss Loomis portrays a widowed countess, who, before her marriage to the Earl of Darlington, was a popular London show girl. After the death of her husband, she secretly visits her old chum, also an actress. The two plan to play in the stock company at a small English village. Conrad Warrener, an army officer, who, believing himself prematurely old, has been seeking his youth, has about given up hope, meets the countess, of whose identity he is ignorant, and falls in love with her. Then follows a delightful romantic climax, and through love Conrad finds his youth.

VARIETY THEATRE "How do I like working in pictures? I love it!" exclaimed Cornelia Skinner enthusiastically. Cornelia Skinner is the daughter of Otis Skinner, celebrated romantic actor of the American stage, who is making his screen debut in his greatest success, "Kismet," a Robertson-Cole superspecial now showing at the Variety theatre. Like her father, Miss Skinner makes her initial screen bow in this stupendous production. Miss Skinner is singularly like her father in looks and mannerisms. The same sparkling black eyes, expressive hands, the same quick movements and panther-like grace. "When I found father was going to do 'Kismet' for motion pictures, I was simply thrilled," she continued. "I have always been a movie fan myself, and determined to grasp this opportunity of getting 'behind the scenes.' I am playing a slave, not a very big part, but I am trying hard to live up to expectations. Do you know," musingly, "I sometimes think it is very hard to be the daughter of a celebrity. People expect so much of you; they are constantly comparing and criticizing, and you never seem to do things just as they like. But I am not ungrateful. I am more than proud of my daddy, and just being his daughter is wonderful to me."

ROYAL VICTORIA Annette Kellerman was given an all-star cast in her first modern comedy drama, "What Women Love," a First National attraction, which is at the Royal Victoria theatre again today. After the story was purchased from Bernard McConville, the famous screen scribe, for $10,000, Sol Lesser instructed Harry Caulfield, his production manager, to spare no expense in securing the best available talent for Miss Kellerman's support. Wheeler Oakman, who played the masculine lead in "The Spoilers," "The Ne'er-Do-Well," "Mickey," "The Virgin of Stamboul," and other successes, was chosen to play opposite "the diving Venus." Walter Long, who has been chosen as the ideal heavy by D. W. Griffith, ever since Long played the part of the negro Gus in "The Birth of a Nation," was picked for the part of the villainous Larsen. Ralph Lewis, the veteran character actor (Bull Montana, who is now being featured by Marshall Neilan, and a host of other well known players complete the cast.

PRINCESS THEATRE Tonight's offering at the Princess Theatre is one which is bound to appeal to the hearts of all, "My Irish Rose," is its title. At the performance tonight each lady who attends will receive a souvenir photo of Mr. James Coots. The players are all at their best in this beautiful play, and each one has a beautiful part; there are many thrills, and much mystery, an abundance of clean, wholesome comedy, two delightful love stories, and a rogue or two, so what more need anyone ask. "Watch, ye little folks," for the contests coming up during the next few weeks; there are some rare treats promised. Remember tonight, "My Irish Rose," the comedy-drama which holds you, thrills you, and sends you home happy. Curtain rises at 8 o'clock sharp. Patrons are requested to call for their reservations before 7:15, as after that time all tickets are put back on sale.

COLUMBIA THEATRE A well known newspaper writer recently called attention to the similarity in the early lives of Theodore Roosevelt and Harry Carey, the popular Universal star. Both were born in New York City and both studied law at Columbia University. Both went West for their health about the time they reached their majority, and both became so imbued with ranch life that the characteristics of the open plains remained with them ever afterwards. Harry Carey, who will appear at the Columbia theatre again today in his latest Universal phenodrama, "Blue Streak McCoy," is the son of a New York judge, and was to follow in his father's footsteps. But the stage appealed to Harry after he graduated from the law school, and he tried out his ability in a number of road companies. Then he went to Montana for his health, and spent several years there, leading the life of a cowboy. While there he wrote the play, "Montana," in which he afterwards starred on the stage, and later wrote "The Heart of Alaska," which also served him for two seasons on the road.

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ANNA PAVLOWA WILL APPEAR HERE AT ROYAL VICTORIA

After an absence of nearly four years, in which she has multiplied her triumphs and elaborated and matured her art in South and Central America, Spain, France, Belgium and England, Anna Pavlowa, "The Incomparable" Russian dancer, is making a limited tour of the principal cities of the United States and Canada under the management of Fortune Gallo, the grand opera impresario.

It was only after extended negotiations that the famous ballerina was persuaded to visit America once more, she having just surpassed all her former successes at the Drury Lane Theatre in London. But once she had consented, she set to work with characteristic energy on the arranging of her programmes. As submitted to Mr. Gallo, these included eleven ballets and thirty-two divertissements. She informed him that her new productions would suffice for all her American appearances, without repetition of any hitherto seen here. However, she advised the retention of several old favorites.

Heeding this counsel, Mr. Gallo made an informal "straw vote" canvass of local managers and Pavlowa enthusiasts throughout the country. As a result, it was decided to retain from the popular successes of earlier American tours such numbers as "Amarilla," "Chopiniana," "Flora's Awakening," "Giselle" and "Snowflakes." The new ones are "Autumn Leaves," "The Fauns," "Mexican Dances," "La Peri," "Schubertiana" and "Thais," making the total of ballets eleven. Eighteen of the divertissements are revivals, and fourteen are new to this country.

Mlle. Pavlowa brings with her the Ballet Russe, with which she has been surrounded for five years. Her dancing partner is Alexandre Volinine, long familiar to her followers. She also has the support of Marie Olevera, a distinguished Russian, seen in America for the first time, as premiere danseuse.

Besides providing an especially organized symphony orchestra under the directorship of Theodore Stier, Mr. Gallo has brought the scenery, costumes and other equipment from London.

Mlle. Pavlowa will appear in this city at the Royal Victoria Theatre one night only, Monday, January 24.

FAMOUS ENGLISH ACTOR TO APPEAR HERE NEXT WEEK

January 17 will welcome the arrival in Victoria of the famous English actor-playwright, H. V. Esmond, and his wife, Miss Eva Moore, with their entire London company direct from Wyndham's Theatre. On Monday and Tuesday, January 17 and 18, "The Law Divine" will be presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre. This is Mr. Esmond's latest comedy, and the play has had a long run in London before being transplanted bodily to Canadian soil. Wednesday and Thursday will see the production of "Eliza Comes to Stay," a farcical comedy that proved very successful at the Criterion Theatre, London, and helped materially to establish Mr. Esmond among our leading playwrights.

Mr. Esmond and Miss Moore's sponsor is Trans-Canada Theatres, Limited, our largest Canadian theatrical organization, who has recently sent us "The Maid of the Mountains," to be followed later by Mr. Martin Harvey and his company.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Dancing—T. T. Mecredy, Studio 1716 Broad Street. Phone 6959.

Dr. Grant has removed his offices to Rooms 308-9-10 B.C. Permanent Loan Building

Pocket and Office Diaries for 1921 at Victoria Book & Stationery Co., Limited.

Dancing—F. Grimston, Private Academy. Latest steps taught. 12 Boyd Street, James Bay. Phone 7547.

Studios of Ballroom Dancing, 316-17 Pemberton Building. Blanche Boyd. Phone 1692. Hours 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Ladies, get in the swim—The new Y.A.S.C. term at the Y.M.C.A. tank commences today. Enroll at the Y.M.C.A. at the morning or afternoon session.

The monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take place Friday, 14th, at headquarters, commencing at 2:45 p.m. Special business: nomination of officers for the ensuing year.

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LOCAL COUNCIL HAS INTERESTING REPORT

Miss Herschmer Addressed Meeting Yesterday Afternoon on Subject of Town Planning and Good Housing

Monday afternoon the Local Council of Women held a meeting at the Y.W.C.A., Yates Street, with the president, Miss Crease, in the chair. Mr. Woodward addressed the meeting, informing the ladies of the correct manner in which to number their votes on the P.R. ballot at the coming Municipal Election. At the conclusion of his remarks a hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Woodward.

The minutes were read by Mrs. Austin, in the absence of Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. W. Grant gave the treasurer's report, which was followed by Miss Spencer's reading the correspondence. Miss Spencer also took the roll-call, as the addresses of each member were desired in view of the coming annual meeting which will be held next month, February 16th and 17th.

Mrs. R. B. McMicking reported on the upkeep of the cemetery paths, which it is now definitely determined are not to be charged to the owners of plots.

The Women's Platform, which is to be discussed at the annual meeting is non-political, and is being prepared with the idea that women may stand together on certain grand principals. Those who wish to speak on any points that they think this project will bring up are requested to notify the secretary or the president.

Mrs. H. W. Herchmer gave a very interesting address on Good Housekeeping and Town Planning, which, she stated, is a subject that has been engaging the minds of public health officials since the war revealed, through medical inspection, the vast majority of the physically unfit. The speaker pointed out that "the character of a people depends upon its surroundings, and happy, contented and healthy people only come from comfortable and sanitary homes, and the first step in the right direction is a Town Planning Act." In an article in the Special Housing number of the "Conservation of Life" entitled Town Planning in British Columbia, the author says: "There is no province in Canada which offers such good scope for the scientific development of its resources as British Columbia. Serious as have been its losses to the people by wasteful planning and by speculators in rectangular lots, by the extravagant method or want of method, of allowing subdivisions to control the extension of local improvements, instead of constructing local improvements to control subdivisions; serious as have been these evils there is still time to rectify them, the passing of a planning and development similar to what exists in other provinces will give the people of B.C. the power through their municipalities, to regulate their development along proper lines.

British Columbia is young enough to apply the teachings of science and modern economic thought to the building up of its social and industrial life, and one of its first duties is to establish a skilled department or colonization to deal with social and industrial development of the Province on business and scientific lines. The health and well being of the city would be the first consideration of such departments." The address was brought to a conclusion by the report of the Medical Conference of the Inter allied committee of the Red Cross Societies. A vote of thanks was accorded Mrs. Herchmer.

Letters were received from Mrs. E. G. Prior and Mrs. R. S. Day, and Mrs. Stanner who wrote representing her Chapter of the I.O.D.E. and endorsing the movement of the Council re Moving Pictures, and urging that more British films be screened, also more plays suitable for children.

A meeting of the Vancouver Island Child Welfare Association will be held on January 12 it was announced through the chairman of the Provincial Executive, Dr. H. E. Young. Miss Crease announced that the New Year Book is now obtainable. A committee of two, Mrs. Greaves and Miss Spencer, was elected to find a permanent meeting place, and to arrange where the next meeting should be held.

Mrs. Spofford spoke on the Committee of Laws and dealt very aptly with the question as to whether a man and wife have a vote on one property. Mrs. Spofford was elected to represent the Council on the delegation to make inquiries of the Attorney-General.

Mrs. Savory spoke very strongly in favor of the Council urging the question of Victoria as a free port area. This is to be brought up at the next meeting.

Mrs. Galbraith moved that Mrs. Spofford should receive the hearty commendation of the Council for renomination for school trustee, after which the meeting was adjourned.

Theodore Roosevelt had no English ancestors.

MOTHER!

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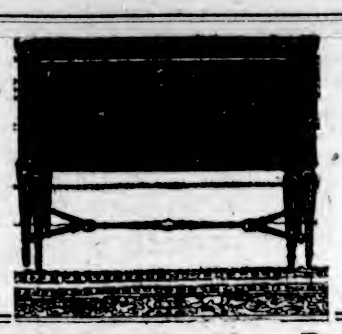

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AT THE STREET CORNER

By "The Lounger."

I recently came across a splendid example of that lack of consideration which characterizes so many women when out shopping. I was one of three or four waiting to buy stamps, and an elderly lady was occupying the time and attention of the vendor. The elderly lady first produced one cent and asked for a one-cent stamp; then she remembered that she had some more cents in the recesses of her handbag and produced three more which she tendered for stamps. Then she started to hunt for cents in her bag, all the time chatting gaily away and saying how much more convenient stamps were to carry than copper coins. In the meantime we, who wanted stamps to put on letters and not to carry for the pleasure of it, were kept waiting. Why could not the elderly lady have indulged in her treasure hunt in a remote corner of the post-office building and refrained from coming to the stamp wicket until she was sure that she had her money ready? Echo answers "Why?"

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And, talking of stamps, I heard a delightful story the other day; it is not original and I am told that it appeared in an Old Country publication some years ago, but it was new to me and I will take a chance on it being new to some of you. A very up-to-date Englishman clothed in a monocle and a perfect stage accent sauntered into a country post-office and with a winning smile asked if the post-mistress kept stamps. On being informed that she did he said "Ha-ha; I—er—wonder if I might see some of your penny ones?" A large sheet of penny stamps was produced for his edification and after examining them with the greatest interest he asked if he might see some of the half-penny variety. One of those large sheets was laid on the counter for inspection. "Yes," he said, "I like these much better than the others. I think that I will take that one please," pointing to a single stamp right in the centre of the sheet. I admit that this is a silly story, but the more you think it over the funnier it becomes.

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It has been brought to my attention that there is a tendency on the part of mail carriers to collect mail from the outlying pillar-boxes ahead of the time advertised on the sign indicator. Consequently many letters mailed in these boxes are considerably delayed in their arrival at their destination. If a person finds by the correct time that he has reached the box in time for collection he naturally presumes that the collection has not been made; if, on the other hand, the postman makes his collection even a few minutes before the advertised time there is nothing to show the poster of the letter that he has missed his mail. It would be far better for the postman to be a few minutes late than a few minutes early.

I wonder whether some of the men who are out of work could not make a living by collecting and delivering the kelp which abounds on our Victoria beaches. I understand that kelp is a first-class fertilizer and many people with gardens would probably be glad to pay a fair price for a stock of kelp delivered to their houses. The suggestion was made to me through the mail, and I pass it on in the hope that it may prove a feasible proposition.

THE LOUNGER.

Communists Wish General Strike

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 11.—The communists of Westphalia, who have already brought about a strike in the factories at Hamborn, says a Dusseldorf dispatch, are seeking to make it general throughout the Rhineland. The Conservative labor leaders, however, are opposing this.

Name Mrs. Murphy for Senate

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—By a resolution passed yesterday the Montreal Women's Club endorsed Mrs. Arthur Murphy, of Edmonton, as being qualified for a seat in the Canadian Senate and asked the Federal Government to appoint her to that position.

Do This For Constipation

PEOPLE are beginning to realize that it is not at all necessary to take a strong purgative pill, and be weakened and upset all day, to relieve constipation no matter how old or chronic it is. The bowel muscles will get just the proper amount of stimulation from a teaspoonful of mild, gentle Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin, which is a combination of simple herbs with pepsin. The full formula is on the package. A sixty-cent bottle will last months, and last year over eight million were bought in drug stores. It relieves constipation overnight, headaches, biliousness, indigestion and feverishness.

If you would like to test Dr. Caldwell's Laxative Syrup Pepsin free of charge before buying it in the regular way of your druggist, send your name and address to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 19 Front St., Bridgeburg, Ont., and a free trial bottle will be sent you promptly, prepaid.

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No advertisement charged to account for less than $2.00. Phone 11.

ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

BURNS' anniversary celebration, January 25, Caledonia Hall, auspices Knights of the Thistle.

CALEDONIA dance, every Saturday evening, Caledonia Hall, View Street. 8-30. Wallace's five-piece orchestra.

DANCING—Orange Hall, Courtney Street, beginning Saturday, January 15, class for beginners only, 7 to 8; public dance, 8 until 11. Private lessons by appointment. F. Grimston, 19 Boyd Street, Phone 7567.

LOYAL Order of Moose—Last chance to join at reduced fee of $10. Charter open limited period. Go it now. Pearce, 716 View. Phone 2626X, full information.

LODGE Princess Alexandra, No. 18, Regular meeting, Thursday, January 13th, Orange Hall, 8 o'clock. Installation of officers.

MILITARY 500 by Ladies' Auxiliary, Army and Navy Veterans, Hamley Building, Government and Broughton Sts., Wednesday, January 12, 8 p.m. Prizes. Welcome to all.

NEXT-OF-KIN Association. Regular meeting in Messonnie Room on Thursday, 13th, at 8:45 p.m.

NOTICE—Shooting or trespassing on Alldermera, Millstream Road, is absolutely prohibited, and sportsmen are warned to observe this notice. W. H. Smith, Lessee.

THE Younger Set Dance Club will hold a dance Wednesday, January 12, at the Caledonia Hall, 8:30 to 11:60 p.m. Hunt's orchestra. Ladies 35c, gentlemen 75c. Everybody welcome.

THEOSOPHICAL Society, 405 Balmoral House—Open for information re meetings and free lending library, 2 to 5 p.m.

VICTORIA City Kennel Club will hold a parlor dog show on January 15 in the Crystal Theatre, Broad Street. Judging to commence at 6 p.m. Entries to be made at the door. Bring dogs early; no pedigree necessary. Prizes for every breed shown. Phone secretary-treasurer 5765, or after 3 p.m., 5666L.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

DIGGONISM—"Business is a good deal like niggers' wool—it doesn't look very deep, but there are a heap of kinks and curves in it." Diggon's, Printers, Stationers and Engravers, 1610 overnmeat Street. Art Calendars 75 per cent reduction.

BOY wanted; references. W. H. Wilkerson, 1113 Government Street.

COURSE FOR MARINERS, also STEAM ENGINEERS
International Correspondence Schools
1607 Government St. Canadian Ltd.

CARPENTERS for building near Westholme, 95c hour. Board $1.25 day. Only good men need apply. Write box 763, Duncan, B.C.

JANITOR for part time; fire furnace and clean office; no certificate required. Apply Box 5726, Colonist.

MAN with car to contract to meet boats and trains for city hotel; salary and commission. Apply Box 5819, Colonist.

MAKE money at home—$18 to $60 paid weekly for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct and supply you with work. West-Angus Showcard Service, 57 Al Colborne Street, Toronto.

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT

By preparing yourself to fill one of the highly paid positions open to the man skilled in Gasoline Engineering.

TRACTOR operators and experts, automobile mechanics, tire repair men, battery and ignition experts, will be in greater demand this coming year than ever before. Six or eight weeks' time will prepare you. Call or write for information. Day and night classes.

HEMPHILL AUTO & TRACTOR SCHOOL
Victoria school: Blanshard and Fisgard Sts.

FARMERS AND FARMERS' SONS

WHILE in Victoria this Winter, you can spend your time pleasantly and profitably by taking a course in automobile and tractor operating and repairing at Hemphill's School, Blanshard and Fisgard Sts.

WANTED—Man handy with tools, at quite small wages. Repairs. G. S. Paddon, Mayne Island.

WANTED—Boy to commence drug apprenticeship, two years High School required. Phone 2263. Hillside Pharmacy.

5 MEN or boys wanted to learn gasoline engineering, and earn part of their tuition while learning. See Mr. Van Cloff, 1780 Blanshard Street.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

GOOD wages for home work—We need you to make socks on the fast, easily-learned Auto Knitter; experience unnecessary; distance immaterial; positively no canvassing; yarn supplied. Particulars 2c stamp. Dept. 3207, Auto Knitter Co., Toronto.

STENOGRAPHERS—Employment department, free service. Come and register. United Typewriter Co., Ltd., 722 Fort St. Phone 4759.

WAITRESS, experienced. Apply Carlton Cafe, 1212 Broad Street.

WANTED—Woman to look after children, small wages but good home. Apply Box 3798 Colonist.

WANTED—Smart girl for housework, good wages. Apply, giving age, to Box 3737, Colonist.

WANTED—Young lady with some experience in stenography, and to assist in optical store; must be well recommended and good at figures. Apply in own handwriting, stating age, to Box 3061, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

CHAUFFEUR, with all-round experience; overseas and continental experience; will travel. Box 3776, Colonist.

GARDENER, experienced and reliable, by day or hour. Byson, Phone 1647R, 6 p.m.

GROCERY salesman, experienced wholesale or retail, desires position. Phone 5918.

GOOD salesman with car, city and island. No real estate. Will invest. Box 3776 Colonist.

WANTED—Delivery of milk, district of St. Margaret's School. Phone 4708L.

WANTED—Employment as poultry man, one year's experience on commercial poultry plant for egg production in B. C.; incubating, brooding (room and cold), trapping; well recommended, young, active man. Box 6716, Colonist.

$25 BONUS for introduction to employment, afloat or ashore, by ex-ship's steward. Box 6724, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

CAPABLE young lady, with three years' office experience, desires position, good at figures, good typist, can operate small switchboard; good references. Box 3716, Colonist.

CHAUFFEUSE—Young lady with unusual experience during eight years with numerous makes of cars, European and American, requires position; all running repairs. Box 5840, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED housemaid desires position; town or country. Box 3806 Colonist.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker wants work by day or week. Box 5792, Colonist.

ENGLISH lady, capable, in return for very comfortable room and board, will help in household duties; adults preferred. Box 6709, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position. Phone 6662.

ENGLISH widow, one child, wishes room and board for services. Box 3671, Colonist.

JUNIOR Clerk, well educated young woman, some business experience, quick at figures, typing, no shorthand. Box 3636, Colonist.

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LADY offers room and breakfast to business lady for company at night. Apply 2276 Tennyson Avenue, off Dupplin Road.

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WANTED by a practical nurse who understands massage, daily care of invalid, or would take charge of children and teach them the elementary subjects, French and music. Phone 5236L.

EDUCATIONAL 6

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ENGINEERS instructed for examinations. E. W. G. Winterburn, M.I.N.A.; 321 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

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SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1011 Government Street, shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping thoroughly taught; graduates filling good positions. A. E. McMillan, principal. Phone 674.

MUSIC 7

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ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher, 1248 Mitchell Street. Phone 2747.

MISS Eleanora Harfoot, L.R.A.M., A.H.C.M., T.L., piano, harp, theory. 614 Oliver Street, Oak Bay.

MARGARET MACLURE, teacher of piano, 2473 Dallavus Street, Oak Bay. Telephone 6201L.

MISS INA H. GORDON, teacher of piano and violin. 808 Blanshard.

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HAMSTERLEY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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TO EXCHANGE 8

EXCHANGE pair of powerful military prisms for good bicycle. Skelton, Ruby Road, off Shelbourne.

FOR Sale, or exchange for property near Victoria, modern fruit ranch in full bearing, near Wenatchee, Wash. Box 3723, Colonist.

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LOT 5384, group 1, Kamloops division, Yale district—179 acres. Improved, quarter mile railway station, postoffice and store; exchange for suburban property or good gas launch. Apply Room 214 St. James Hotel.

WILL exchange for residence in city, either 320 acres or 160 acres improved. Phone 5883L.

DRESSMAKING 9

ALTERATIONS, remodelling children's clothes; furs altered. Phone 2473L.

DRESSMAKING—Blouses, kimonos and alterations promptly done. Room 32, 707½ Yates Street.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

PAINTING — Kalsomining, paperhanging. J. J. Ross, Pembroke and Quadra. Phone 2283.

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TRY Webb's Restaurant; home cooking. Corner Quadra and View.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

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WANTED to rent piano, will be well taken care of. Box 6756, Colonist.

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

A COMPLETE system of mailing lists (postage refunded on all undelivered mail matter) of the principal homes in Victoria and Vancouver Island, also lists of owners of automobiles and trucks in Victoria and other districts of the Island. In addition we have complete lists (for the whole of Canada) of manufacturers, wholesalers, retail stores, hotels, mills and professional men.

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A BIG load of black soil and manure delivered. Phone 1664.

ARM chair, upholstered in leatherette; very comfortable. For quick sale, $18 only. Island Exchange, 747-749 Fort St.

A WORD to the wives is sufficient. Install one of our new clothes racks, with line and pulley, complete, $6. James Bay Exchange, 143 Menzies Street.

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BALDWIN apples, special $6.50 box. Potatoes—Ashcroft, $2.45 bag; Agassis, $2.65; these are good keepers. Good dry, hard onions, $2.35 bag; carrots, $1.35 bag. Also strawberry plants for sale, rasp. canes, black currants, logans, fruit trees, early Spring cabbage plants now ready. Pure honey, 35c per lb; bring containers. Strictly new laid eggs, 75c dozen. We deliver free.

FARMERS' PRODUCE STORE
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BABY carts and English baggies, like new, $5 up. City Mart, 736 Fort St.

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DROP-HEAD Singer sewing machine, in perfect condition, $44.50. The Capitol Exchange, Phone 236.

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ENGLISH baby carriage, dark blue, new hood and tires, $35, bargain, like new. Baby Carriage Exchange, 628 Pandora.

ENAMED oak and golden dining sets from $ 75 up. City Mart, 736 Fort Street.

FOLDING bugles and sulkies, like new, all bargains. 623 Pandora.

FINE Axminster rug for sale, 3x10, also a large bevelled plate glass mirror, good as new. 1644 Oak Bay Avenue.

FOR good cheap ranges try Oak Bay Auction Rooms, 1946 Oak Bay Avenue.

FOR Sale—Gentleman's beautiful evening dress suit, never worn, Box 3746, Colonist.

FOR Sale—English baby buggy, like new, for $20. Phone 4108R.

FOR Sale—Knitting machine, with ribs attachment, new. C. E., 1045 Yates, between 6-7 p.m.

FOR Sale—New furniture of five-roomed bungalow; also 2-passenger Chevrolet car, good order, licence paid. Phone 3040Y, 1234 Old Esquimalt Road.

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HOUSES FOR SALE

A SMART, bright and nearly new four-room bungalow, nice reception room, two beautiful bedrooms with bath en suite, Dutch kitchen with lots of cupboards bins and drawers and a great big lot, at the wonderful figure of $1,300, on very easy terms.
H. AMPHLETT — G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

4770
CLOSE TO CRANMORE ROAD
A FULLY modern 8-roomed semi-bungalow, 4 bedrooms, living-room with bookcase and fireplace, dining-room, French windows between dining and living-rooms, cement basement with absolutely new furnace. This house, both outside and in, has been newly painted and kalsomined. Price $5,500, terms.

4783
JUST off Newport Avenue, facing the sea; we have a most attractive home of 6 rooms in the bungalow design. The dining-room and living-room, with built-in buffet, bookcases and fireplaces, etc., are particularly pleasing. Sunroom, den, kitchen, bathroom and toilet complete the downstairs plan. Upstairs are 3 beautiful bedrooms with clothes closets and bathroom. The basement is full cement, with hot air furnace, and Chinaman's room; also a pretty garden and garage. Price $5,645, terms arranged.

4762
FOUL Bay (Hollywood section), a beautiful artistic bungalow of 5 rooms, all very roomy and well planned. Large lot in well kept lawn and cement walks, parlor has built-in bookcases, wide window seats, and attractive fireplaces, opens onto dining-room, very tastefully panelled and beamed. Large bathroom entered from either pleasant bedroom having deep clothes presses. A kitchen very convenient for housewife; high full basement. Entire property is in AI condition and requires no renovating. Is located on a pretty boulevarded street, within easy distance of car. Special sale price of $5,000, terms.
THE GRIFFITH COMPANY, LTD.
181-186 Hibben-Bone Bldg.
Phones 1445 and 1610

A LITTLE PALACE
A BEAUTIFUL 5-roomed bungalow, situated on one of the side streets off Fort. Full cement basement; stationary wash tubs, sitting room and dining room with open fireplace, built-in buffet, panelled and beamed; bright kitchen with tiled sink; bathroom and toilet, third floor; two bedrooms in white enamel; clothes closets, outside windows; full length mirror; nice entrance hall. Lot 70 x 150, in lawn and small fruits; garage and poultry house. Price only $4,200. Clear title.
ROBERT GRUBB, Mahon Block
(Over 15c Store), 1173 Government Street

GET SETTLED BEFORE THE NEW YEAR

HERE IS AN ABSOLUTE SACRIFICE
AN ideal bungalow, situated just off Quadra Street and only a few minutes' walk from Hillside carline. There is a nice reception hall, large drawing-room and dining-room, two bedrooms, bath and toilet, kitchen. Newly decorated inside. Large lot with lawn nearly made. Very low taxes. Price $3,950; $1,500 can remain on mortgage. Exclusive listing.
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311 Jones Building — Mrs. M. F. Carlin
4306—Phones—6035

ASK for Harold D. Patterson (late of Winnipeg), now in charge of House Department, Pratt-Canadian Co., Ltd., corner View and Broad Streets.

BUNGALOWS and all kinds of houses. Wendell B. Shaw & Co., Pemberton Bldg.

BUNGALOW—Well planned and attractive five-room bungalow, built-in buffet and bookcases, furnace, cement basement and laundry tubs, with hot and cold water. Price, on terms, $4,500.
GOODLAKE, WEBB & HEWETT
8 and 9 Winch Bldg. — Phone 3209

BEAUTIFUL home of 15 rooms, centrally located; 5 bedrooms, 5 bathrooms, 2 drawing rooms, large reception hall, den, dining room, kitchen, furnace; garden; garage. Phone 5506, Room 769, or Box 3171, Colonist.

4748
CHICKEN ranching and small fruit growing. Just off paved road and close to station; 4½ acres of good soil in some small fruits. City water piped to the new house. There is also a fine chicken house, 515 Leghorn hens, tools and equipment included. A going concern. Price on application.
THE GRIFFITH COMPANY, LTD.
181-186 Hibben-Bone Bldg.
Phones 1445 and 1610

A WORKINGMAN'S COTTAGE, $1,300
CLOSE to new docks in James Bay, on paved street. Consists of living-room and kitchen, pantry, bath and toilet and two bedrooms. Basement ready for concrete footings and floor, drain connection in. Small cash payment and several years to pay balance.

FINE HOME, BUILT FOR A DOCTOR, $15,500
FAITHFUL Street, near park, car, school, town and sea. Nine large rooms and two sleeping porches. Separate entrance to consulting room. Three fireplaces, two bathrooms, lots of cupboards and closets. Complete exterior wiring, bells, etc. Solid stone foundation, hot water heat. Beautiful grounds. Would rent to a good tenant at $60 per month.

DISTINCTIVE HOUSE AND LARGE GROUNDS, $6,500
OAK Bay, near car, golf links, sea and schools. Quiet and secluded location. Well planned home of 7 rooms, 3 fireplaces; one bedroom has fireplace and hot and cold water. Fine basement with hot and cold water and laundry tubs. Two beautiful lots, crowded with flowers and fruit.
FRANCO-CANADIAN CO., LTD.
Financial, Insurance and Estate Agents
Sales Office: Corner View and Broad Streets

COUNTRY cottage with all kinds of fruit trees and small fruits, four bright, warm, comfortable rooms and two great big lots; beautiful location in Mount Tolmie district; $1,400, with small cash payment.
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COMPACT warm house, containing 7 rooms, pantry, bathroom, hot and cold water, electric light and other modern conveniences, excellent water, good garden, small orchard, excellent soil, barn, stable, cow shed, dairy, chicken houses for 60, pigsty and root house; standing in 10 acres, about half in cultivation; river frontage; close to church, store, P.O., railway station. Price $7,000.
C. WALLICH
Real Estate and Insurance
Office, Cowichan Station — E. & N. Ry.

EXCELLENT modern five-room bungalow, big, bright rooms, newly decorated, fine big lot, Oak Bay, $3,150, with $750 cash, balance $25 month. Grab while the grabbing is good.
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LLOYD-YOUNG & RUSSELL
Pemberton Building — 1012 Broad Street
Phone 4625

A SNAP FOR THE WORKINGMAN
FERNWOOD Road—3 minutes from the car, 5-roomed bungalow, verandas, hall, large living-room, dining-room, kitchen and pantry, 3 bedrooms, bath and toilet, large bow windows to front rooms, good level lot with woodsand at back. Brick foundation and thoroughly wall built. This will stand all sorts of investigation and is for sale on easy terms. Price $2,100. A small cash payment secures this if you act quickly. We are exclusive agents. I'bane 4552.

FOR Quick Sale—Fifteen-roomed house, close in, specially suitable for private boarding house or housekeeping rooms, bargain price on furniture if required. Phone Owner 4057 for appointment to inspect.

EASY BUNGALOW SNAPS
FAIRFIELD—4-roomed modern dining-room and drawing-room, sliding doors between, fireplace, piped for furnace, fruit trees, close in. Only $2,000; $400 cash.
HILLSIDE—5-roomed modern semi-bungalow, stone basement; close to car. Only $2,400; $500 cash.
BAGSHAWE & CO.
521-523 Sayward Bldg.

HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

A SELECT LIST OF THOROUGHLY GENUINE BARGAINS

5 CHOICE LOTS
$1050 — TWO beautiful lots ($1,050 each), large size, and situated on Woodstock Avenue, the best residential portion of the Fairfield district. One is 54x165 and the other 60x132. At one time these lots were listed at high as $2,000 each, and the present price is so low that, notwithstanding the cost of lumber as it is today, it would be possible to build on these lots at a total cost which would not be excessive. To take advantage of this snap prompt action is necessary.

HOME SNAP
$9000 BUYS a beautiful 7-room bungalow and two lots on Saratoga Avenue, near Oak Bay car terminus. The house is a very tastefully arranged little place, and quite different from the usual run of homes. The lots are each 50x110, with the land nicely laid out in lawn and garden. There is also a garage. The owner has greatly reduced the price as he is a non-resident and needs the money. Suitable terms can be arranged.
B. C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY LTD.
323 Government Street — Phone 126

FOR Sale, by owner, 5-room modern bungalow, full basement, furnace, built-in effects, etc., 930 Metchosin Street. Price $4,300; terms. Apply to owner on premises. Phone 1546Y.

FAIRFIELD district, close in, a 5-room modern bungalow, built-in features, fireplace, cement basement, furnace, hardwood borders to floor in front room, hall and den. This is an exceptionally good buy. Price only $3,750; terms arranged.
A. A. MEHAREY
606-6 Sayward Bldg.

FULLY MODERN BUNGALOWS

Oak Bay, 5 rooms	$1,250
Esquimalt, 6 rooms	$1,500
Hollywood, 6 rooms	$1,000
Fairfield, 7 rooms	$5,250

The above bungalows have full sized basements, furnaces, built-in features, etc. Each one is in the most desirable part of the districts named, and far below the present day cost of building.
A. S. TARTON — WISE & CO.
111 Pemberton Blk.

FOR Sale—4-roomed new house, bathroom, pantry and full basement; good built lot, close to Quadra Street and car, $1,750. Phone 6260X.

CROWN REALTY BARGAINS
We Have the House You Want at the Price You Want to Pay.
FOUR four-roomed houses, $1,500. All good habitable houses.
FIVE-ROOM house, Victoria West, $1,650. Good condition, near cars.
TWO five-room houses in good shape, $1,750. Near car and bus.
FOUR-ROOM furnished bungalow, $2,500. Good shape and nice lot; low taxes.
FIVE-ROOM bungalow in Victoria West, $2,500. Close to cars; low taxes.
A REAL LIVE UP-TO-DATE BUNGALOW
FOUR-ROOM absolutely modern, specially fitted bungalow, on nice lot, near car and bus, on Gorge, $2,800.
THE PRETTIEST BUNGALOW IN VICTORIA
FIVE rooms, special hardware and plumbing, selected lumber and built by day labor. Rooms panelled, with beamed ceilings, Dutch kitchen finished in white enamel; garden in large and small fruits; fine cement basement and garage; terms; $6,200.
AN IDEAL HOME IN AN IDEAL SITUATION
EIGHT-ROOM absolutely modern semi-bungalow, all rooms on first floor panelled in leatherette, beamed ceilings, hall, parlor, dining and living room, den, small fireplace with oak mantel. Bedrooms all fitted with leaded lights, bath fittings and hardware furnishings of the highest grade. Large cement basement with 8-foot walls. The house is heated with the Buck heating system. Large lot with oak trees. Splendid view of the straits and city. Low taxes; near car. Price, on reasonable terms, $7,500.
CROWN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.,
Corner Yates and Government
Imperial Bank Building

E. E. HEATH
1216 Douglas Street

FAIRFIELD—This very modern 3-room bungalow, with all built-in effects, fireplace, full cement basement, enamel laundry trays, on a full sized lot with light taxes, also garage, only $1,300. Owner will sell, fully furnished, including piano, for $900 extra.

FERNWOOD—Here is the best buy in the district, this six-room semi-bungalow, with living-room, dining-room, kitchen, bedroom and bathroom down, and two nice bedrooms up, fireplace in living-room, full cement basement, only $3,850, easy terms.

BLACKWOOD—Seven-room nicely finished home, situated on a very large lot, suitable for growing all kinds of fruits or roots. There are five rooms and bathroom down and toilet separate, the rooms downstairs are large and very nicely finished, very nice built-in buffet, large granite fireplace. This is specially priced for quick sale, only $4,750.

MR. Prairie Man—Here is your chance for a profitable investment. 5 acres laid out in different kinds of small fruits and city water laid all over for irrigation purposes; also 415 feet of greenhouses, all in first-class shape and heated by hot water from a boiler with radiation sufficient to double the size; also a good six-room house with city water, bath, etc. This is a going concern and note the owner's very nice income, only $12,000, easy terms. This property is situated within four miles of the city and close to a paved road.

10 ACRES—Very good land, suitable for small fruits, close to Saltichan station; the party who will buy this, clear two acres and lay it out in strawberries, can pay for all the land and all expenses in connection with same and have a tidy sum left out of the first year's crop. Price only $1,400.

I have many other good propositions, call in and get full particulars.
E. E. HEATH
1216 Douglas Street

FOR Sale—5 modern homes at half value. Easy terms. Good locations, $5,000 to $20,000. Owner, D. H. Bale, contractor, corner Fort and Shadacona (Phone 1746).

A SACRIFICE
FULLY modern 9 roomed bungalow in Oak Bay, 5 bedrooms, usual reception rooms, garage, nice garden; beautifully incased. Taxes light. Price, $3,700. Small cash payment, balance to be arranged. Owner will consider a big reduction for an all cash offer.

I have several clients with capital to invest in legitimate businesses. What have you to offer? Submit full particulars.
G. G. MORRIS
Office: R. P. Clark & Company, Ltd.
1506 Broad Street — Victoria, B.C.
Phone 5650

FOUR-ROOM modern bungalow with cement basement, toilet, etc. This is a well built, pretty little property, within two minutes of a lovely beach, half acre lot. A gift at $2,550.
H. AMPHLETT — G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

FOR Sale—3-room house, full size cement basement and foundations. First floor, reception hall, panelled; large drawing-room 23 x 14, sliding doors to dining-room, panelled, 14 x 14, built-in buffet, beamed ceiling; small room off dining-room, with built-in desk and bookcases; pass pantry fully fitted with cupboards, kitchen; and four bedrooms upstairs, with linen cupboard, and modern bathroom, medicine chest, large clothes closets. Hall and reception rooms have hardwood floors, good electric fittings and large verandas. Two carlines. Taxes under $10 yearly. Price and order to view apply to Phones 1445 or 5095R.

HERE'S a good one—Five-room bungalow with every modern convenience, open fire, sliding doors, spacious bright rooms, well located in Oak Bay, and big lot, for $3,600, on terms.
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206-7 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

F. R. BROWN
Real Estate, Financial, Fire and Automobile Insurance
Phone 1076 — 1115 Broad Street

3 ACRES—A very attractive and productive small country home. Situated eight miles from town, and off a first-class road, close to transportation, school and store. There are 750 apple trees, 9 cherries, 6 plums, half-acre of logans, raspberries, etc. Six-roomed bungalow, with bath, water laid on. Chicken houses and garage. Terms.
$6500

SAANICH—5.15 acres of the very choicest land, all black loam, well situated, close to B. C. Electric and store. 55 large assorted fruit trees, ¼-acre in loganberries and quantity of other small fruits; barn, small dairy, chicken house and garage. Bungalow of five rooms, water laid on. Good supply of water the year round. Terms.
$5750

METCHOSIN—6¼ acres, all cleared and under cultivation, with a gentle slope to the east, good view of the straits and mountains. Three-roomed house and large chicken house. All fenced; good soil; close to the railway, and motor transportation. This is really a choice place of property and is cheap at the price. Terms.
$3250

11½ ACRES—Small dairy and fruit farm. All cleared and under cultivation, soil black and clay loam (no waste land). Situated on high ground with a good view. There are 250 large assorted fruit trees all in first-class condition, about seven years old. Quantity of raspberries, gooseberries and currants. Six-roomed bungalow, open fireplace, city water laid on. Good barn, chicken houses, and other outhouses. This small farm can be made a good revenue producer by the man who is willing to work for his returns. We specially recommend this farm. Terms can be arranged.
$8000

SAANICH—6.86 acres, all under cultivation, within fifteen minutes of the city, and producing a good revenue annually. One acre in bearing loganberries, four acres in strawberries, 250 logan tips planted out, 250 large assorted fruits, currants, gooseberries, and other small fruits. Six-roomed house with water laid on, fruit house, barn and chicken houses. Reasonable terms.
$10500

SOVENDY
10 ACRES of very choice waterfront, city water passes property, all cleared except few shade trees, oak and pine. Unexcelled as homesite. Price only $350 per acre.

GORDON Head—One 5-acre and one eight-acre block, all under cultivation, good soil, well situated. Price $650 per acre.

GORDON Head—7½ acres, about two acres in light bush, balance cleared, on first-class road, $750 per acre.

ELK Lake—2½ acres, some stumps and light bush, best of berry land, on the paved road. Price $1,250.
P. R. BROWN

BRIGHT & CO.
1206 Broad Street — Phone 786

HAVE got several small homes for sale that $250 to $600 can handle. Don't buy before consulting us.

IF you want courteous and satisfactory service in buying a house or farm, call on Wendell B. Shaw & Co.

DO YOU WANT
LARGE FRUIT; SMALL FRUIT;
FLOWERS; A LARGE LOT; A FINE VIEW; A GOOD HOUSE?
LET us show you this property, near the forge, at only $6,600. The house is modern in every respect, has full basement entirely cemented, fireplace, clothes closets, etc. A really charming place with a lovely garden and a fine outlook over miles of country.

LARGE MODERN COTTAGE, $2,500
VERY close in, on good street, near school, car and bus. This is a well built house; not a ruin. It has large living-room, two good sized bedrooms, nice kitchen, bath and toilet. Large lot with shed and chicken house. A number of fruit trees and lots of small fruit; $600 cash will handle this. Call soon—this won't last long.
FRANCO-CANADIAN CO., LTD.
Financial, Insurance and Estate Agents
Sales office:
Corner View and Broad Streets

W. G. GAUNCE
201 Hibben-Bone Bldg.
Notary Public, Real Estate, Insurance

MODERN 3-roomed house, Fairfield, at $6,500.

MODERN 5-room house, near Beacon Hill Park, at $7,000.

WATERFRONT lot on Tod Inlet for $500.
Terms on all.

OAK Bay—Particularly well located on Oliver Street, a really nice six-room bungalow, with open fire, built-in features, reception hall, three bedrooms, cement basement, and lot 50x125; $3,750, terms.
H. AMPHLETT — G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

ONE of the finest homes in Fairfield, consisting of dining-room with built-in features, drawing-room with fireplace, library, also with fireplace; hall, kitchen, etc. on first floor, all with hardwood floors; four lovely bedrooms upstairs, with very large clothes closets. Majority of these rooms have a beautiful view of the water; cement basement, laundry tubs.
$2500 — COMPLETELY furnished, in first-class shape, a four-roomed bungalow, modern; 5 bedrooms, bath, good basement, chicken house overlooking Gorge.
MUTUAL REALTY
Phone 5060 — 416 Sayward Bldg.

SMART five-room bungalow, occupying a delightful location in Oak Bay's most charming residential section. It's a wonderfully pretty little house with a big, beautiful garden, replete with flowering plants and shrubs; $3,550, on terms.
H. AMPHLETT — G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

¼ ACRE, 5-ROOM HOUSE, CLOSE IN ONLY $3,500, ON TERMS
THIS is without doubt a great snap, and cannot be duplicated anywhere around this nice district. Situated on Tolmie Ave., has modern conveniences, including bath and toilet; also some bearing fruit trees; the soil is of the very best, one rock (home in before it is too late). It is only about 15 minutes' run from our office.
BRITISH-AMERICAN BOND CORPN., Ltd.
760 Fort Street

HOUSES FOR SALE 39 (Continued)

STRICKLAND, SWAIN & PATRICK
$4100 — A 5-ROOM Oak Bay house of good value, and in fine position. Owner has just completed painting the outside and redecorating the interior. Large living-room with three splendid windows and artistic brick fireplace. Three bedrooms, with built-in features, bathroom, kitchen and pantry in white enamel. Cement basement and furnace. Large lot with oak trees, lawn, garden and chicken run. A first-class buy. Terms arranged.

$3750 — AN up-to-date semi-bungalow on Oliver Street, with reception hall, archway to bright living-room, with window seats, dining-room with fireplace, kitchen with numerous cupboards and large pantry; 3 nice bedrooms and fine bathroom. Full size basement. Large lot with good garden. Terms arranged.

5 ACRES—With waterfrontage, 1 acre under cultivation; 4-roomed cottage, 3 chicken houses, a barn and other outbuildings; ½ an hour's run from the city on good road. An exceptional buy at $1,900, on terms.

KEATING—Over 15 acres, all under cultivation, about 3 acres in strawberries, loganberries and blackberries, balance in Winter wheat. An attractive 4-roomed bungalow and outbuildings. Produced over $4,000 last year. A first-class investment at $11,500, on terms.

STRICKLAND, SWAIN & PATRICK
1310 Douglas Street — Phone 5497

JUST ON THE MARKET
Here's Something to Tickle the Fancy of a Prairie Man Who Is Interested in Chickens and Fruit, and Desires to Add Materially to His Income

SUBURBAN Home—Cosy modern six-roomed bungalow standing in about an acre and half (8 lots), laid out as a fruit and poultry ranch. Ideally situated, just off a paved street, close to city, with spacious driveways, velvety lawns, roses and flowers galore. About 15 full bearing fruit trees, such as apples, pears, cherries, plums, peaches and abundance of the smaller fruits. There are numerous modern chicken houses and separate runs with lots of shade trees, and water laid on in each; city water laid throughout the property. This choice little property is secluded and restful; picturesque in its quaintness, as well as being the most profitable of its size in the community. See photographs at office. Price $3,750. Reasonable terms.

JAMES Bay Snap—5-roomed bungalow, of full size cement basement, sanitary tubs, good workshop in basement. The best of plumbing. No car fare and close to sea. A gift at $2,150; good terms. Possession at once.
ANDREWS REALTY
8th Floor, B. C. Permanent Loan Building
Phone 2734

LEEMING BROS., LIMITED
AN OLD COUNTRY HOME
STANDING in its own grounds of nearly one and a half acres, in a choice part of Oak Bay, with lawn, motor drive and some fine trees. This spacious eight-roomed house is finished in stucco and half timbered above the first floor. Large hall, off which opens den, drawing room with sunroom and open fireplace. Panelled dining room also with open fireplace. Completely fitted pass pantry, good kitchen and screened-in porch. Upstairs are three fine bedrooms and separate bathroom and toilet. Full cement basement, a portion of which is fitted up for storage; hot air furnace. We can sell this entire property for less than the land cost.
PRICE, $7,550 ONLY

SEE Wendell B. Shaw before buying a house or farm.

WATERFRONT Bungalow—Of four delightful rooms, with open fire, bath, toilet, etc., tucked away in the corner of one of our most charming near-by bays; this constitutes one of the last opportunities to secure waterfront privileges together with an attractive and comfortable home, at the low price of $2,650, on terms. Only a few minutes walk to street car.
H. AMPHLETT — G. C. HOWELL
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Phone 5900

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SNAP
WE are instructed to sell this 5-roomed modern house on large lot, fruit trees, one block from Douglas Street car line, for $2,750, on terms of $750 cash, balance $25 per month at 7 per cent. This property could not be replaced under $4,000.
T. B. MONK & CO.
551 B. C. Permanent Loan Building

YOU'LL like this house—Modern, smart and substantial in every respect, seven magnificently proportioned and well arranged rooms, hardwood floors throughout ground floor, spacious reception hall, dining room panelled and beamed, open fire and built-in features, delightful reception room, also with big open fire, conservatory, kitchen and laundry, bedrooms with sleeping porches, near car, school and beach. It would cost $5,000 to build; we will sell for $5,250.
H. AMPHLETT — G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building
Phone 5900

G-ROOM dwelling, owner having left the city, must be sold; immediate possession; price $6,500, easy terms.

4-ROOM bungalow, near Quadra Street School; price $3,000, easy terms.
McPHERSON — FULLERTON BROS.
250 Central Bldg. — Phone 1055

FAIRFIELD
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
$7500 — NINE-ROOMED modern semi-bungalow, furnace heated, Rudd hot water heater, gas range, pass pantry, sleeping porch, full sized cement basement. This is a beautiful home and will give immediate occupation.
BRIGHT & CO.
1205 Broad Street — Phone 786

R. V. WINCH & CO., LIMITED
$3150 — IMMEDIATE possession, Fairfield estate, close to car, 5-room semi-bungalow, 3 bedrooms, living-room with fireplace, full cement dry basement, lot 50 x 120 in garden, room for garage. Cash $400.

$2250 — 3 LOTS in garden, in 1¼-mile circle, 4-room bungalow, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, toilet, open fireplace in living-room; low taxes; owner leaving city.

$3500 — OAKLANDS, very attractive 5-room bungalow, freshly kalsomined, splendid condition, living-room panelled and beamed, large open fireplace, 2 large bedrooms, separate bath and toilet, full basement, piped for furnace, tubs, etc.

$3500 — OAK Bay, high and dry, with southern exposure, 6-room most attractive bungalow, 1 block from cars. Large verands, living-room with open fireplace and china cupboards, 3 bedrooms in white enamel, Dutch kitchen, all built-in features, cement basement, furnace.
Winch Building — Established 1889 — 540 Fort Street

$2600 — Situate within one-half mile circle, on large lot, 50 x 140, is a first class 5-room house; all rooms in excellent condition; bath and toilet. The lot alone is worth this amount and property as it stands should be worth at least $4,000. Clear title; reasonable terms

City, Suburban and Country Real Estate—Fruit and Dairy Farms, Poultry, Ranches

WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES 40

FOUR to six-roomed modern bungalow in Fernwood or Oaklands $1,300 cash, balance over two years; $3,000 or under. Box 3430, Colonist.

I WILL pay cash for a small bungalow. Oak Bay or Fairfield preferred. Box 3366 Colonist.

WANTED—Small 4 or 5-room modern bungalow, $1,500 to $2,000; small cash payment, balance monthly. Box 3762 Colonist.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42

A GENTLEMAN'S Estate far $3,000 cash and balance of purchase price can remain on mortgage. A beautifully appointed, absolutely modern and artistic California bungalow of 6 rooms; the reception rooms are large, magnificently panelled, with beam ceilings, granite open fireplace with inglenook and settees; bedrooms very daintily decorated; bathroom with the best of porcelain fixtures, toilet, hot and cold water. French windows, very wide verandas, commanding unrivalled views. There is an excellent lighting system throughout the house. 20 acres of first-class soil, 6 acres cultivated, 6 acres pasture, 6 acres slashed, and the balance in park-like timber. Situated on the Island Highway, within short run of golf links, and near one of our most picturesque lakes. Surrounding country affords the best shooting and fishing to be obtained on Vancouver Island. Price, complete, $4,750.

Exclusive Agents

H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
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COUNTRY Homes—6½ acres first-class soil, 3 acres under cultivation, balance light clearing, mostly alder bottom; well built bungalow of 4 large bright rooms, open fireplace, pantry and milk larder, wide verandas on two sides of house, useful outbuildings, very pleasant, sheltered location; near school, church, store and post office. Property is situated on main road. Price $3,500, on terms.

2 ACRES—Suitable for small fruits, and a well built house of 5 rooms. Price $1,750, on terms.

H. AMPHLETT, G. C. HOWELL
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EVERY kind of farm on this Island: Fruit, residential, dairy, mixed and small homesites. Wendell B. Shaw & Co., 208 Pemberton Bldg.

FOR Sale by owner, good buildings, 5 acres, suitable for chicken ranch, on Langford Lake. W. L. Brown, section foreman, Arrowsmith.

FOR Sale—Beautiful Cowichan Lake, property 21½ acres, all good land; 560 feet waterfrontage; best on the lake. Phone 3506, Room 129; or Box 3173 Colonist.

FOR Sale—Desirable, well located farm of 74 acres, more or less, at Fanny Bay, near shipping wharves of Cumberland coal mines, 30 acres, more or less, cleared, good soil; two-story dwelling house of 9 rooms; barn, chicken house and chicken run, and buggy house. E. & N. Railway station adjoining premises; public highway along one-side. Long seafrontage; first-class bathing beach. Desirable site for subdivision and suitable for business purposes. For further particulars and price, apply to: C. L. Harrison, Solicitor, etc., Law Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B.C.

FOR Sale—Ten acres full bearing orchard in the famous Keremeos apple district; apples, pears, plums, peaches, apricots, cherries, raspberries, strawberries, alfalfa, free water for irrigation, good house, all necessary buildings. Value $12,000, or will exchange for ranch, same value, close to Victoria. Box 3766 Colonist.

FARM, 106 acres, about 30 acres cultivated and fenced, balance nice timber and cattle range. Good dwelling house, water piped in, and roomy outbuildings; 12 miles Victoria city; close to main road, motor stage and railway; city water and telephone, and only a few minutes to church, school, hall, store, P.O. and sea. Exceptional bargain; must be sold for absentee owner; $6,500; clear title; terms. A. Cosh, Metchosin, Victoria, B.C.

FOR Sale—36 acres waterfront on Island Highway and railway, 6 acres cleared, 5-roomed house, barn, chicken houses; 250 bearing fruit trees. Price $6,000. See O. Matthieson, Hotel Westholme, evenings, about 6 o'clock.

GOOD mixed farming land in Central Alberta and Saskatchewan are rich park lands, open prairie, ready for the plow, interspersed with trees, which afford excellent shelter for stock. Here grain growing, dairying and livestock raising are being carried on successfully. The country is ideal for mixed farming. The Canadian Pacific Railway is offering a large area of these fertile lands in the neighborhood of Lloydminster and Battleford. These rich districts will be the home of thousands of prosperous farmers. Near Lloydminster the world's prize oats have been grown and butter of the highest quality is made. A man can soon become independent on a farm here. These lands can be bought now at prices averaging about $19.00 an acre, you pay down $10 per cent. If land is purchased under settlement conditions no further payment of principal until end of fourth year, then sixteen annual payments. Interest is six per cent. Write H. L. Loughran, Land Agent, C.P.R. Station, Vancouver.

GORDON Head Way—Only a few tracts left, absolutely the cheapest acreage on the market; 2½ miles from centre of city. Very choicest berry, orchard, poultry, gardening and pasture land.

3 acres, $450 per acre
5 acres, $450 per acre
8 acres, $550 per acre

Few minutes' walk to Shelbourne 'bus line, ample water, close to schools. Nearly all cleared and under cultivation.

R. R. PUNNETT & CO.
207-8 Pemberton Blk. Phone 2206

REAL SNAPPY BUYS

KEATING—In this famous berry district we have 12 acres of choice land, with 3 acres cleared, 2½ more slashed, 1½ acres planted to small fruits. Good spring of water. Balance of land all logged off, at a price below wild land in the same district (no buildings). $250 per acre.

GET THIS TODAY

POULTRY Farm—4 acres, 2-room house; several up-to-date poultry houses, city water; $600 head of poultry. Price only $5,000. Might take house in city in part trade.

DUNFORD'S, LIMITED
1106 Douglas Street

SAANICH acreage, partly cleared, $50 per acre. 140 acres, hardly 3 miles from city and near B.C. Electric station, small house with some furniture, stable, gasoline engine and saw; good water, only $4,000 on easy terms. The Griffith Co., Ltd., 107-108 Hibben-Bone Bldg., Phone 1442-1610.

1109 Douglas Street Telephone 664

GRANT & LINEHAM, LTD.
(Established 1898)

A FARM BARGAIN

ABOUT thirty acres on Island Highway, a short distance from Victoria. Twenty acres is under cultivation, balance in light timber. All wire fenced. Comfortable 5-room bungalow, with hot and cold water, bath and cement basement. New outbuildings, consisting of barn, stable, granary and poultry houses. The following stock is included in the price: 1 heavy work horse, 2 cows, 2 pigs, a number of chickens and geese, and sundry agricultural implements. A going concern, all ready to step right into and commence Spring work. Price $12,000. Arrange appointment to view.

NORTH SAANICH SNAP

FIVE acres of good land, all cleared and cultivated and fenced; situate on East Saanich Road near Sidney; water, transportation, electric light and 'phone available. Light taxes. Price only $1,250.

1109 Douglas Street Telephone 664

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
(Continued)

SOUTH Saanich—About 11 acres, all under the highest state of cultivation, 2 acres in strawberries of the very best varieties, 1 acre in loganberries, ¼ of an acre in blackberries, 100 currant bushes, 20 assorted fruit trees, balance of land is ready for planting. A good small house. A barn for 4 head. Poultry houses for 700 birds. Revenue for last year was $5,000. Price and terms upon application at our office.

POULTRY Ranch—15 acres, partly cleared, no rock, all fenced. A new house of five rooms with city water laid on. Two large modern poultry houses. Price $3,250, $500 cash will handle.

2 ACRES—All black loam and under cultivation, 25 assorted fruit trees, in bearing. A dwelling of 5 rooms in excellent condition. Barn accommodation for 5 head. Poultry houses for 500 birds; ample water supply. Price $4,000.

6½ ACRES—More or less, situated off Shelbourne Street, all cleared and under cultivation, the soil is excellent, about 100 fruit trees in full bearing, a fairly good house of seven rooms, city water and electric light. Good barn, poultry houses, etc. This property must be sold quickly. Price $7,000, terms arranged.

84 ACRES—14 acres under cultivation balance is in pasture and timber, a good house of five rooms with water laid on. Barn accommodation for 7 head, poultry houses and other outbuildings. The price includes: 3 horses, 1 cow and some chickens; situated about 6 miles from the city. Price $9,000.

PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
Fort Street Victoria, B. C.

RESIDENTIAL FARM

READ This—Hunt this district through and you will not find a finer home than this property here described; 2½ acres and a home, worth over $4,500, with beautiful view and situation; fine fruit, chicken houses and stable. Just enough land to keep one man busy and to provide a living, and just what a retired man requires to make himself and family happy; $3,500, on terms.

WENDELL B. SHAW & CO.
208 Pemberton Bldg.

SOOKE—Full size lot for sale, near Post Office; cheap for cash. Apply 212 Menzies Street, or Phone 5207.

SPLENDID Opportunity to Grow Fruits—Live in the country and hold your job in the city. 5 acres of excellent land, all cultivated and fenced, southern slope, city water, 'phone and electric light, located in the 4-mile circle on main road. Price reduced to insure quick sale; $2,500, on terms.

H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building

THIRTY acres of strawberry land, Keating district; seven cleared and cultivated, balance partly cleared. Old house, barn, etc. A number of fruit trees, full bearing, nearly all first-class land; $11,000. Terms if required.

BOGGS & HARMAN, LTD.
Pemberton Bldg. 620 Broughton Street

IMPROVED FARMS

5½ ACRES, 6 miles out, 2½ acres cleared, excellent soil, 11 full bearing fruit trees, and small fruits, good 4-room cottage, woodshed, barn, stable and chicken houses; city water. The owner is sacrificing this property owing to ill health. Price $5,000.

40 ACRES, Gordon Head, all good soil, and all under cultivation; house, barn and outbuildings. Price $650 per acre.

3 ACRES, 5½ miles out, 2½ acres good soil, some rock, 12 fruit trees, 1,000 strawberries planted out; modern 3-room cottage. Price $2,000.

List your farms with us for sale.

CITY BROKERAGE A. T. ABBEY, Mgr.
506 Union Bank Building
Phone 815

10 ACRES—Rich soil, near sea and railway, situated in fine agricultural district near Victoria, some slashing and improvements; fine stream of water; most suitable for small fruit and truck gardening. A splendid chance to get in on the ground floor. Price $500, on very easy terms.

20 ACRES—Adjoining above, same character of soil; a lot of work has been done on this land, including slashing and burning. There is no rock on this property, all good soil. Price $1,000, on very easy terms.

14 ACRES—Level land, all cleared and some under cultivation, on main road adjoining school, post office and store; close in; district near sea. Snap, $1,400.

80 ACRES—Mostly level, good soil, some fine timber; would make fine dairy farm. Price $1,250, terms.

H. AMPHLETT G. C. HOWELL
206-7 Union Bank Building

EXCLUSIVE SALE

12 ACRES, all good land, 10 cleared and cultivated, 1 acre strawberries, 200 raspberries, 5-room house, new barn, modern poultry house, good water supply, on main road. Phone and electric light if wanted. Price $1,500. Apply:

R. C. POPE C. A. FROST
Patricia Bay, Sidney

CROWN REALTY

SNAPS IN ACREAGE

4 ACRES, on Prospect Lake Road, $375.
4½ acres on Wilkinson, near Burnside, $1,150.
23 acres on Prospect Lake Road, $1,600.
¼ acre, house and buildings, Carey Road, $2,300.

A CHICKEN RANCH IN A NICE PLACE

25 ACRES, at Shawnigan, part cleared; small house, sheds and chicken houses, close to school, stores, P. O. and 'phone and railway, on main road. A real bargain, $2,500.

20 ACRES, also house, Cobble Hill, near rail, school, stores, etc., $2,500.

78 ACRES, part cleared and slashed, on main road; mile from station; $5,000.

100 ACRES, part cleared and cropped, close to station, on Island Highway; $8,000.

We have everything you are looking for in Acreage, at snap prices. See our listings.

Owners of Farms and Acreage wishing to sell should list with us for a quick sale.

CROWN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO.
Imperial Bank Bldg., Yates and Government
W. H. Price, Notary Public, Mgr.

SNAPS LIKE THESE ARE HARD TO GET. IF YOU CONTEMPLATE GETTING SETTLED YOU HAD BETTER SEE THESE AT ONCE

6 ACRES, level and good fruit land, 14 trees year old, solid stone house, 7 rooms, electric light, bath and toilet, fully modern, near store and station; $6,000, $1,200 cash, or $2,000 all cash.

5 ACRES, on side slope, in the heart of the fruit district, planted to strawberries now; good 5-roomed house, fully modern, barn, chicken house; stage passes the door; good water; $5,000, terms arrange to suit.

6 ACRES, on the 5-mile circle, all black loam and all under cultivation; 5-roomed house, light and water on the street, good transportation, taxes only $45. Price $1,500; $1,000 cash, or better for all cash.

8½ ACRES, nearly all cleared, 60 fruit trees, strawberries, loganberries and currants; 6-roomed house, good water, in house, barn and 3-roomed house, new; splendid view. Full particulars at the office; $3,000; $2,000 cash, or $2,000 all cash.

10 ACRES, on main road; very best of strawberry land; 2 acres cleared and part berries; new 5-roomed house and new barn; one horse, tools, furniture. Everything goes for $6,000, on terms, or $5,500 cash.

We have lots more, but these are good buying, and will advance this Spring. See:

G. E. DEAKIN & CO.
726 Yates Street Phone 7052

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
(Continued)

160 ACRES black loam raw prairie, four miles from Manitoba town; clear title; value four thousand. Exchange for house, store or acreage in or near Victoria. See W. A. Snelgrove, 301 Sayward Building. Phone 4146.

ACREAGE WANTED 43

ABOUT 2 acres cleared land for fruit, must be close to school, within 10 miles from city, with or without buildings, for cash. Give particulars Box 3791 Colonist.

TEN acres or more good land, $200 down would handle. Box 3776 Colonist.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

ESQUIMALT waterfront, 126 feet, right on car line terminus, for sale, or exchange for close in property. Will give cash for difference of value. Felix Masarati, 114 Stobart Building.

GORDON Head district, four large lots together, nearly an acre, on Ruby Road, off Shelbourne Street, $800 or best offer. Owner, Skelton, Ruby Road.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

DO you want a farm? Call on Wendell B. Shaw & Co., Pemberton Bldg.

STRAWBERRY RANCH SNAP

KEATING—5 acres, all under cultivation, except ¼ acre slashed, about 1½ acres strawberries and 5,000 plants ready to plant. Pretty 5-roomed modern bungalow on stone foundation, and basement, bath, toilet, etc. Large barn and stable, garage; ideal strawberry land, good slope, fine view. Only $6,000, terms; small orchard.

BAGSHAWE & CO.
324-325 Sayward Bldg.

MR. Investor, before buying a farm or city home, call on us. You will find it worth your while to get sound advice. Wendell B. Shaw & Co., Pemberton Bldg.

DAIRY RANCH

$5250—CLEARING over $150 per month and can be increased to return double the present income. Stock of 4 head of milch cows, 4 years old, horse and wagon for delivery, cash milk route. New bungalow, basement and cement foundation; cow barn, cement floor; horse stable, feed barn, henhouse and a number of fowls. The land is All, no rock and mostly all ready to plow. Former price $4,500, good terms.

HIGGIN & CO.
1206 Broad Street Phone 736

WANTED TO RENT—FARMS 48

WANTED—By responsible couple, to rent, with option of purchase, about 5 acres, small house, light and water, building, some fruit, easy access Victoria. Full particulars to Downes, 2771 St. Margaret's, South Vancouver. Owners only.

WANTED to Rent—With option to purchase, small fruit farm with furnished house, near Victoria. Gordon Head or Metchosin district preferred. Box 3727 Colonist.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

AGREEMENTS of sale, mortgages, etc., bought and sold. A. D. Ford, 207 Pemberton Building. Phone 1586.

MONEY to Loan—Merchants' Financial Syndicate, 305 Pemberton Block, Victoria, B. C.

WANTED TO BORROW 53

WANTED to borrow $10,000 on improved farm, complete buildings, fully stocked, full line implements, etc., going concern, value $50,000; fire insurance $17,000. This is a gilt edged mortgage investment. Address borrower, Box 3062, Colonist.

TEACHERS WANTED 58

A FEW positions are still open for teachers in outlying districts of the Province. Teachers should forward their applications to the Teachers' Bureau, Department of Education, Victoria, B.C., stating their qualifications fully.

TIMBER BROKERS 60

LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., 109 Pemberton Bldg.

We regret the publication of the statement appearing in "Broadstreet's" under date of October 21, 1920, as to the appointment of Mr. Dillming as Trustee of O'Connell's, Limited, as a matter of fact, this statement was in error as no Trustee was appointed.

THE BRADSTREET COMPANY.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE BILL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session by the Corporation of the City of Victoria for an Act (to be known as the "Victoria City Act, 1921") providing for the following matters, and giving to the said Corporation and the Municipal Council thereof the following powers, namely:

1. Providing (retroactively) for withholding from tax sale in any year lands in respect of which all taxes, including instalments of capital sum due and payable to the city prior to the first day of the current year, shall be paid before the date of tax sale held in the current year.

2. Amending the "Victoria City Act, 1920" as follows:

(a) By increasing (retroactively) the powers granted to the Council by Section 22 to permit the issue of treasury certificates as collateral security to original debentures.

(b) By adding new Subsection (4) to Section 22 enabling the City to assess and tax all lands of the Corporation, which may be sold by Agreement for Sale or otherwise, from the date of such sale, and granting the Corporation, its Assessor and Collector, all rights and powers in relation to assessment and taxation of such lands as if owned or occupied other than by the Municipality, and making these provisions retroactive from January 1st, 1920.

3. Enabling the City by by-law to provide that lights mounted on motor vehicles need not be kept burning at night on cluster lighted streets of the City during the time such streets are kept continuously lighted.

4. Enabling the Council to make, alter and repeal by-laws as follows:

(a) For requiring registration of all bicycles used on City streets, the use of number-plates on same, the payment by owners of annual charges for registration and use of number-plates, notice of change of ownership and for imposing penalties for breach of by-law.

(b) For defining Cabarets and for prohibiting or regulating amusements and entertainments carried on therein.

5. Providing (retroactively) that instalments of local improvement taxes required to be paid by Special Assessment By-Laws shall be in arrears after the dates named in such by-laws for payment of instalments.

6. Providing for the election of Aldermen for two years term of office, one-half of the number retiring annually.

7. Requiring the nomination of Aldermen, School Trustees and Police Commissioners to take place during the last week in December, and the polling during the first week in January, the dates to be fixed by resolution of the Council.

8. Providing for election returns to be made by the Returning Officer within six (6) days of polling, and for the first meeting of the new Council on the second day after such returns have been made.

9. Requiring the entry of a householder's name on the Municipal Voters' List without requiring the usual Statutory Declaration provided he has once made such Declaration and is otherwise qualified to vote.

10. Providing for the close of the Municipal Voters' List on the 31st day of October in each year.

11. Enabling the Council to make, alter or repeal by-laws for substituting securities in exchange for partially destroyed debentures held by the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States and by the London and Scottish Assurance Corporation, Limited.

12. Extending to the City the provisions of the "Greater Food Production Act" for the year 1921.

R. S. PRINGLE,
City Solicitor.

December 7th, 1920.

NOTICE

To Real Estate Agents and Salesmen

"Provincial Government Licences according to the provisions of the Real Estate Agents' Licensing Act, 1920," must be renewed for the year 1921 forthwith. Application forms may be obtained at my office, Parliament Buildings Annex, 606 Government Street.

FRANK J. SEHL,
Provincial Collector of Taxes.
Victoria, B.C., 7th January, 1921.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

REFERENDUM

Public notice is hereby given to the Electors of the City of Victoria qualified to vote for Mayor that their presence is desired at the Public Market Building, 616 Cormorant St., in the City of Victoria, on Thursday, the 13th day of January, 1921, between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m., to cast their ballots for or against the question:

"Are you in favor of Daylight Saving during the Summer season?"

Voters are required to express their opinion on the above question by marking a cross (X) on their ballots opposite "Yes" or "No" (as the case may be).

Given under my hand at Victoria, B.C., this 4th day of January, 1921.

WM. SCOWCROFT,
Returning Officer.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia at its next session in behalf of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt for an act (to be called the "Township of Esquimalt Map Act, 1921") to give legal force and effect to a plan or map of a portion of the Municipality of the Township of Esquimalt recently prepared by Bateman Hutchinson, professional engineer and British Columbia land surveyor, under the directions of the Reeve and Council of the said Township of Esquimalt; and to establish the boundaries of the streets of the said Township of Esquimalt in accordance with the said plan or map as the same may be finally settled; and to constitute a tribunal for hearing and deciding upon all objections that may be made to the said plan or map by any person interested therein or affected thereby and thereupon making any necessary alterations in the said map or plan; and thereafter declaring the said map or plan to be final and conclusive as the official map pro tanto of the said Township of Esquimalt.

Dated November 23rd, 1920.

McINTOSH, MEREDITH & FINLAND,
Solicitors for the Applicant.

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

R. S. C., Chapter 115

The Corporation of the City of Victoria hereby gives notice that it has, under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles for the Land Registry District of the County of Victoria at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, an amended description of the site and the amended plans for a Railway and Traffic Bridge proposed to be constructed across a portion of Victoria Harbor from the foot of Johnson Street to the lands formerly known as the Songhees Indian Reserve.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Corporation of the City of Victoria will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa for approval of the said site and plans and for leave to construct the said bridge.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

By H. S. Pringle, City Solicitor.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this Tenth day of December, 1920.

PRIVATE BILL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session by the Board of Governors for the Anglican Theological College of British Columbia for an act to amend the "Anglican Theological College of British Columbia Act, 1912":

(a) By making provision for the amalgamation and incorporation into the said College of Latimer Hall and St. Mark's Hall heretofore affiliated with the said College, and

(b) For the purposes aforesaid to make certain necessary and incidental amendments to the said act and in particular to sections 6, 7, 9 and 11 and 16, and by striking out Section 14 thereof.

Dated at Vancouver, B.C., this 20th day of December, A.D. 1920.

J. H. MacGILL,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

GREAT STORM RAGES OVER NEWFOUNDLAND

SYDNEY, N.S., Jan. 11.—Passengers who arrived in North Sydney late last night from Port Aux Basque on the steamer Sagona, told of having experienced one of the worst snowstorms in the recent history of Newfoundland.

For days the railway line through the interior of the country has been piled high with huge drifts of snow, which completely blocked the track, and it took the train, which left St. John's Thursday afternoon, over ninety hours to make the trip, a distance of 500 miles.

The blizzard not only caused havoc in the railway service, but brought down nearly all wires. Telephone communication has not yet been restored.

Chief of Police Fined

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 11.—A. J. Wharton, chief of police of Amherstburg, was fined one dollar and costs for assaulting and beating Clifford Morency. Morency said the officer used him roughly when arresting him on a charge of stealing chickens.

Dies on Street Car

WINDSOR, Ont., Jan. 11.—E. G. Park, postmaster of Amherstburg, Ont., for the last 40 years, died suddenly yesterday while on a Windsor street car. He was 85 years old and is said to have been the oldest postmaster in Canada.

Phone 1—Fashion Taxies and Livery.

A. M. AITKEN
Candidate for
Alderman

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE
I ADVOCATE
1—A thorough revision of our present educational and school systems.
2—Using Canadian and not Americanised text books. Same to be printed in Canada.
3—A lump sum provided by the Government so that the School Trustees know how much they have to spend for school revenues.
4—Technical Schools, with competent instructors.
5—Schools for the deaf, blind and dumb, adults as well as children.
6—Supervision of the children's play and playgrounds and promulgation of good, clean sport.
7—A living wage for all school teachers.
8—Libraries for all schools.
9—Airy, light and commodious classrooms, and provision made in all school buildings for a comfortable place for pupils to eat their lunches, especially in wet weather.
11—British born (not naturalized aliens) for our university professors, heads of colleges, school teachers, ministers of education. We have them, use them.
12—A better love for British institutions, flag and country.
Our children are our greatest asset; see that they get their due.
GERALD CROSS
Give Me One

For Alderman

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I beg to announce myself as a candidate for re-election, and solicit your support and influence.

I am in favor of Industrial Expansion, Hospital Accommodation, Encouragement of Tourist Travel, Better Housing, and will support all measures having for their object the welfare and best interests of the city.

W. F. Fullerton

For Alderman

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I beg to announce that I shall be a candidate for election as Alderman on the 13th inst., and solicit your vote and influence, and if elected I shall seek to institute and support a more vigorous policy of Industrial Development for Victoria and its advancement as a residential and pleasure resort, with fair and considerate treatment for those engaged in business, and for those who are responsible for the government of the City, and the workers generally.

Jno. Harvey

JOHN DAY
for Alderman

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For nine years I have advocated Industries. A Payroll means Money. Victoria's cry is Money. A good Payroll and contented citizens, everything else must follow. I stand for a Payroll. Do you as citizens want one?

TO THE ELECTORS
Walter Walker
desires your support for Alderman at the coming election. Having three years' previous experience at the Council Board and also having considerable experience as a ratepayer and resident of long standing. I promise, if elected, to do my best to further the interests of our city.

To the Electors of the City of Victoria:

I again offer my services as Alderman at the forthcoming Election.

I am strongly in favor of offering special inducements to secure additional Industrial Enterprises, and will support all measures that will promote the welfare of the City.

Robt. Dinsdale

For Alderman

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have much pleasure in announcing myself a Candidate for Alderman. I believe that my services may be useful to the City during this coming year of progress.

W. G. WINTERBURN,
M. Inst. N.A.
221 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

You Have 1 to 17 Votes
I solicit one of your first three.
Respectfully Yours,
J. I. SEABROOK
For Alderman

Ladies and Gentlemen,—
I am a candidate for re-election as
ALDERMAN
Thanking you for your vote on Thursday,
I am, faithfully yours,
W. J. SARGENT

For Alderman
Ladies and Gentlemen:
I beg to offer my services at the forthcoming Election. Having spent all my life in Victoria, I feel that I can give you an honest all around administration. I say "honest" with all the meaning that word commands, and I hereby solicit your support.
EMMA HOOD.

For Alderman—
George Sangster

FOR ALDERMAN
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P.R. Made Plain
The Name—ANDROS.
The Figure—(1)
The Place—Market Building.
The Date—13th Jan., 1921.

For Police
Commissioner
I again offer myself
as candidate.
P. M. Linklater

Mrs. C. Spofford
as candidate for re-election as
School Trustee

Vote for
R. J. PORTER
FOR MAYOR

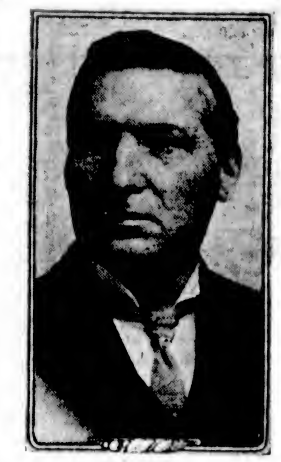
PLATFORM

1. Submission of a By-law for the construction of salt water swimming baths and provision for the addition of Winter Gardens from time to time as our finances will permit.
2. Co-operation with the adjoining municipalities, and also with the public bodies of this Island, for the purposes of having the Government grant the Cities and Municipalities increased sources of revenue, as well as to undertake a programme of road work on this Island which will not only give employment to those requiring it, but will open up new arteries for trade by which the merchants of this City will benefit.
3. The development of the City's property at Elk Lake as a City Park and pleasure grounds.
4. To work in conjunction with all public bodies in the City in an effort to obtain new industries and also to encourage the patronizing of those industries now established here.
5. I am heartily in favor of a clean moral City with adequate protection for growing boys and girls in our midst.
6. Continuing the efforts which are now being made to have greater use made of the Government piers at Ogden Point, by which ships could re-fuel there while loading and unloading cargoes.
7. I am in favor of giving the fullest relief possible to delinquent taxpayers, and those whose property has reverted to the City at Tax Sale by giving them every assistance to redeem their property.
8. Asking the Legislature for power to build houses for private parties along similar lines as laid down in the Soldiers' Housing Scheme, whereby the City could use some of the vacant lots which reverted to it at the Tax Sales.
9. Developing a community spirit by inviting all public bodies to take an active interest in the scheme to obtain a new hospital built in Victoria, the need of which is so apparent at present.

Respectfully Soliciting Your Support

Phones 631-637. Committee Rooms, 1419 Douglas Street

For the
Mayoralty
To the
Electors:


ALD. PATRICK

Ladies and Gentlemen:—

As you are aware I am a candidate for the Mayoralty. If you elect me I will devote all my efforts to giving this city an honest, courageous and progressive administration.

JOS. PATRICK.

Committee Rooms, 614 View St. Phones: 723, 726, 763, 781.

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE
LITCHFIELD
RETAIL MERCHANT, 1109 GOVERNMENT STREET
To the Electors of Victoria:
I have been requested to place my services at the disposal of the public and I offer myself as School Trustee. My policy on our Civic Education questions is briefly this:
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HENRY OSWALD LITCHFIELD

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To the Electors of the City of Victoria
I beg to submit my name as a candidate for Police Commissioner at the forthcoming election, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. My four years' record on the City Council I submit for your judgment.
ALEX. PEDEN.

To the Electors of Victoria—
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LONG-AWAITED BLOCK OF GRANITE ARRIVES

West Coyote Docked Yesterday Bringing in Missing Stone for Pedestal of Queen Victoria Statue

When the steamer West Coyote arrived at the Outer Wharf yesterday morning she brought with her the long-awaited block of granite that will make possible the erection of the statue of Queen Victoria, that has lain prone on the Parliament Building grounds for the past year and more. The missing piece of masonry is consigned to the Department of Public Works, and was shipped from Liverpool. The pedestal for the statue was prepared in 1919 and the figure itself has been stretched out adjacent to it since its arrival from England.

The West Coyote is a United States Shipping Board steamer. She brought in 100 tons of general freight for this port, the rest of her cargo being destined for Vancouver and Seattle. She cleared for the Mainland city yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

HONGKONG, Jan. 11.—Arrived: Str. Monteagle at Hongkong from Vancouver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Arrived: Strs. Sonoma, Sydney; West Jena, Manila; Multnomah, Astoria.

SEATTLE, Jan. 11.—Arrived: Strs. Pomona, Hamburg, via London and San Francisco; Mobile City, Kobe; Toyohashi Maru, Yokohama; F. S. Loop, San Francisco. Sailed: Strs. Osaqumistick, United Kingdom, via Portland and Balboa; Admiral Evans, San Diego, via San Francisco; Buenos Ayres, Christiania, via San Francisco and Balboa; Griffdu, Puenta Arenas, via San Francisco.

TACOMA, Jan. 11—Arrived: Motorship Buenos Ayres, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Phyllis, San Pedro.

PORTLAND, Jan. 11,—Arrived: Strs. Valdez, Wheatland, Montana, Seattle; Mexican, New York. Sailed: Str. F. H. Buck, Gaviota.

WIRELESS REPORT

(By Government Wireless)
6 p.m.

Point Grey—Overcast; southeast; light; 29.81; 34; smooth.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; southeast; strong; 29.83; 35; rough.

Estevan—Rain; southeast; gale; 29.62; 38; rough. 3:30 p.m. spoke West Jappa, noon position 429 miles west of Flattery, inbound.

Alert Bay—Overcast; south; strong; 29.60; 36; rough.

Triangle Island—Rain; southeast; strong; 29.46; 40; rough. 1:35 p.m. spoke Prince George, 1:30 p.m., abeam Egg Island.

Dead Tree—Cloudy; southeast; light; 29.94; 36; rough.

Digby Island—Rain; southeast; light; 29.30; 40; moderate.

Ocean Falls—Cloudy; calm; 29.40; 36; smooth.

BUENOS AIRES TAKING VANCOUVER WHEAT

The Swedish motorship Buenos Aires of the Johnson Line is now on her way north from San Francisco to load 3,000 tons of wheat at Vancouver for discharge at Havre, this being part of a shipment of 5,000 tons for the French Government. The rest of the wheat shipment will move in February. The Buenos Aires left the South last Wednesday night for the North Pacific. She has a full cargo of ore for discharge at the Tacoma smelter before proceeding to Vancouver.

Unemployment at Halifax

HALIFAX, Jan. 11.—Halifax has decided to immediately cope with its unemployment situation, all public and semi-public bodies having joined hands. A deputation will be sent to Ottawa to urge the Federal Government to proceed with terminal improvements.

STOCKS-BONDS-LOCAL MARKETS

POTATOES HAVE DROPPED IN PRICE

The Sweet Variety Has Advanced Slightly—Fresh B.C. Eggs Are Two Cents Per Dozen Cheaper

According to the market quotations, fruit is cheaper now, and a car of bananas is due on January 15. In the wholesale line, Sunkist lemons are priced at $4.50 and $4.75. Eggs have decreased in price, B. C. New Laid having gone from 70c to 68c, while Kamloops potatoes are now marked at $42 per ton instead of $43. Sweet potatoes have advanced slightly. Cocoanuts are selling at $2 per dozen, while roasted peanuts have risen from 19c to 20c. Tarragona Almonds are now 39c instead of 37c. Three changes are noted in the retail meat and fish department. Ribs of beef are 23c instead of 25c. Loins of veal have dropped from 55c to 45c, while pickled pork is 35c instead of 45c. In the retail vegetable line, new cabbage is 4 cents per pound. There are no changes in the flour and feed, but wholesale pork and beef have risen, the former now being 23c, and the latter 17c.

FRUIT, VEGETABLES, DAIRY PRODUCE
(Wholesale)

Butter—	
New Zealand	.58
Hollybrook, fresh creamery	.59
Hollybrook, bricks in cartons	.60
Buttercup, creamery	.57
Alberta	.54
Cheese—	
Ontario, solid, per lb.	.32
Ontario Twins	.32½
Ontario Singles	.33½
Stilton, imp.	.32
B. C. Cheese	.31
Eggs—	
B. C. New Laid	.69
B. C. Storage	.50
Alberta Storage	.58
Fish—	
Haddies, 12-lb. box, lb.	.17
Bloaters, 10s.	.21
Kippers, 10-lb. box, lb.	.10
Sablefish, smoked, 10-lb. box, lb.	.20
Sablefish, kippered, 10 lb. box, lb.	.22
Codfish Tablets, 50 lb. box lb. .21 and	.12
Kippered salmon, 10 lb. box, lb.	.22
Potatoes—New, per ton—	
Netted Gem	43.00
Kamloops	42.00
Sweet Potatoes, lb.	.06
Crates, per lb.	.08½
Onions—	
Okanagan, No. 1	3.50
Okanagan, 2's	1.75
Calif.-Aust. Browns	2.75
Vegetables—	
Beets, new, per sack	1.75
Carrots, per sack	1.50
Turnips	1.50
Cauliflowers, per doz.	2.50
Celery, local, per doz.	1.25
Celery, California, doz.	1.35
Parsnips	2.50
Cabbage	.03½
Head Lettuce, imp., crt.	4.25
Lettuce, hothouse, crate	1.50
Tomatoes—	
No. 1 imp.	M.P.
Crates	M.P.
Grapes—	
Almeria, kegs	15.00
Pomegranates	4.25
Apples—	
Yellow Newtons, Okanagan	3.25
Jonathans, No. 1	3.25
Jonathans, No. 2	2.10
Wagner, No. 1	2.00
R. C. Pippins, No. 1	2.75
Canada Russett, No. 1	2.75
Blenheim oranges	2.75
Oranges—Market advancing—	
Navels, now	3.00 6.50
Lemons—	
Sunkist: according to size, per case	4.50 4.75
Cheap, according to size, per case	4.50
Bananas—	
Per lb., city delivery	.14
Per lb., crated	.13
Barkers, per doz. each	.70
1-basket crates	1.00
Grapefruit—	
California	4.75
Florida	2.75
Pears—	
Winter, No. 1	2.00
Winter, No. 2	3.50
Honey—	
New, 24 12½ oz. combs, per case	12.00
New, 24 11 oz. combs, per case	6.75
Figs—	
24 8-oz.	2.00
Layers, 5 rows	4.00
Nuts—	
Brazil, med., new crop	.24
Walnuts, Manchurian, per sack	15.00
Per lb.	.20
Filberts	.25
Peanuts, green, per lb.	.15
Roasted, lb.	.20
Cocoanuts, per doz.	2.00
Tarragona Almonds, sh. lot	32.00
Ivica	28.00

MEAT AND FISH
(Retail)

Beef—	
Sirloin Steak, per lb.	.35
Porterhouse Steak, lb.	.35
T. Bone Steak, lb.	.35
Ribs, lb.	.25
Boiling, lb.	.15
Pot Roasts, lb.	.20
Lamb—	
Spring Legs, per lb.	.40
Loins, lb.	.40
Shoulders, lb.	.35
Stewing, lb.	.15 .20
Veal—	
Legs, lb.	.40
Loins, lb.	.45
Stew, lb.	.15 .20
Pork—	
Legs, lb.	.35
Loins, lb.	.45
Shoulder, lb.	.35
Pickled, lb.	.35
Fish—	
Red Spring Salmon, lb.	.25
Cod, lb.	.10
Cod Fillets, lb.	.30
Halibut, lb.	.25
Soles, lb.	.15
Smoked Black Cod, lb.	.25
Smoked Salmon, lb.	.25
Kippers	3 lbs. .25
Bloaters, 2 lbs. for	.25

Retail Vegetables, Fruit

Fruits—	
Cranberries, lb.	.25
Cooking Apples, 6 lbs.	.25
Table Apples, 10c a lb. and 3 lbs. for 25c, and 9 lbs.	.25
Oranges, doz., .30, .40, .50, .60, .75 and	.90
Lemons (Cal.), doz.	.35
Grapefruit (Cal.), 4 for	.25
Florida Grapefruit	.20
Bananas, doz.	.75
Red Emperor Grapes, lb.	.40
Almeria Grapes	.40
Dried Fruits—	
Dried Inner Figs, lb.	.35 .50
Cluster Raisins, lb.	.35
Packet	.15, .25
Dates, per lb.	.25
Prunes, per lb.	.25, .35, .40
Silver Prunes, lb.	.25
Currants, per pound	.25
Apricots, per lb.	.35
Apples, per lb.	.35
Pears, per pound	.35
Nuts—	
Filberts, per lb.	.30
Almonds, per lb.	.45
Walnuts (hard), 2 lbs.	.35
Walnuts (soft), per lb.	.45
Brazils, per lb.	.45
Peanuts, per lb. (roasted)	.25
Vegetables—	
New Cabbage, lb.	.04
Onions (dry), 10 lbs.	.35
Onions (green), 3 bunches for	.10
Parsley, bunch	.05
Potatoes, new, 9 lbs.	.25
Per sack	3.00
Yakima Netted Gems, 7 lbs.	.25
Sack	3.00
Okanagan Celery	.15
Head Lettuce, local	.30
Leaf	.05
Tomatoes, hothouse, lb.	.40

Wholesale Meat Prices

No specials brands quoted

Pork	.20
Beef	.17
Lamb	.23
Mutton	.27
Lard	.20 to .30
Hams	.11 to .32
Veal	.25
Bacon	.30 to .40

FLOUR AND FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	2.30	$4.00
Gr. Barley	2.00	32.00
Corn	1.60	70.00
Cracked Corn	2.70	52.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.70	52.00
Oats	2.50	48.00
Gr. Oats	2.40	46.00
Wheat	3.60	70.00
Scr. Feed	2.00	38.00
Bran	2.25	43.00
Shorts	2.25	43.00
Alf. Meal	2.75	53.00
Chicken Chop	2.15	41.00
Fig. Feed	2.50	48.00
Oat Feed	1.50	24.00
C. N. Cake	3.00	58.00
C. N. Meal	3.10	60.00
Oil Cake	4.30	82.00
Soy Bean Meal	3.95	76.00
Gluten Feed	4.20	81.00
Beef Scraps	10.00	.....
Oyster Shell	3.25	15.00
Gr. Bone	6.00	.....
Hay, Timothy and Clover	2.00	38.00
Alfalfa Hay	1.40	26.00
Straw	1.35	.....

	Per Bag 49-lb.
Purity	$3.10
Royal Standard	3.10
Wild Rose (Pastry)	3.10
Royal Household	3.10
B. & K. Flour	3.10
Five Roses	3.10
B. & K. (Pastry)	3.10

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKETS

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—Up till mid-session the wheat market was strong and active, advancing to 200¼, the high of the day. There was little selling pressure, pit offerings being very light and there was every evidence that the market is becoming extremely light. This is attributed to the holding tendency of the producers. At noon the market quieted down considerably and prices reacted to lower levels.

The advance in the May future put exporters more or less out of line, with the result that cash buyers dropped out of the market and premiums fell away 2 cents on the higher grades.

Some improvement in the demand for coarse grains was shown today, and spreads were slightly higher for oats and barley. The offerings continue very scarce with the farmers showing no inclination to sell at the present low prices. Wheat closed ⅛ cent higher; oats, ⅛ cent lower; barley, ⅛ cents higher; flax, 2⅛ cents higher, and rye 1 cent higher.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	183	200¼	193	199⅝
Oats—				
May	57⅞	58¼	57⅝	57⅝
Barley—				
May	92⅝	93⅝	92⅝	93⅝
Flax—				
May	214	217	214	215½b

Cash prices: Wheat—1 nor., 202⅝; 2 nor., 200⅝; 3 nor., 195⅝; No. 4, 185⅝; No. 5, 179⅝; No. 6, 154⅝; feed, 144⅝; track, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, 201⅝.

Oats—2 cw., 64⅝; 3 cw., 51⅝; extra 1 feed, 51⅝; 1 feed, 49⅝; 2 feed, 46; 1 track, 54⅝.

Barley—3 cw., 88½; 4 cw., 84½; feed, 74½; track, 92⅝.

Flax—1 nwc., 207⅝; 2 cw., 202⅝; 3 cw., 190⅝; condemned, 175½; track, 203⅝.

Rye—2 cw., 172.

MONTREAL STOCKS

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Stock—	Bid.	Askd.
Ames Holden	20	
Bell Telephone	99⅝	100
Brazilian Traction	16½	..
Can. Cement, com.	40	..
Do., pref.	71½	..
Can. Car, Fdy., com.	32	35
Do., pfd.	70	..
Can. S. S., com.	48½	49
Can. Cotton	73	77
Can. Gen. Elec.	89	..
Cons. M. and S.	17½	..
Detroit United	..	90
Dom. Bridge	87	..
Dom. Canners	37½	38½
Dom. I. and S.	48	..
Dom. Textile	107¾	109
Lake of Woods Milling	..	188
Laurentide Co.	95	..
Ogilvie Milling Co.	130	..
Ogilvie, pfd.	..	100
Penmans, Ltd.	96	..
Quebec Railway	29⅝	29⅞
Riordon Paper	133	138
Shawinigan	109⅝	..
Spanish River Pulp	88⅝	..
Do., pfd.	..	94⅝
Steel of Canada	23½	..
Wayagamac Pulp	23	..

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Mar.	177½	180	177¼	178
May	133⅝	176¼	164⅝	165
Corn—				
May	74⅝	74⅝	74⅛	74⅛
July	75⅝	75⅝	75¼	75⅛
Oats—				
May	45⅝	45⅝	45½	45⅝
July	43	43⅝	47⅝	47⅝

NEW YORK COTTON

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan.	15.10	17.50	17.00	17.00
Mar.	14.90	16.02	15.60	15.74
May	14.83	15.38	15.00	15.33
July	14.10	14.22	13.93	14.00
Oct.	13.12	13.33	13.34	13.33

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

(By F. W. Stevenson, 102 Pemberton Block)

Stock—	Bid.	Askd.
Athabasca Oils	..	.90
Bawnon Copper	.05	.07½
B. C. Refining Co.	.25	..
B. C. Perm. Loan	.75	..
Boundary Bay Oil	..	.01½
Canada Copper	..	1.50
Cons. M. and S.	18.00	18.50
Empire Oil	.01½	.02½
Granby	19.00	..
Great West Perm.	48.00	..
Howe Sound	2.75	..
Int'l Coal	..	.25
McMillivray	.46	..
Nabob	.04	..
Nugget	.11½	.12½
Pitt Meadows	..	.14
Rambler-Cariboo	.09	..
Silversmith	..	.25
Silver Crest	..	.08
Snowstorm	.03	..
Spartan (Ill)	.09	.10
Standard Lead	.12	..
Sunloch Mines	..	.27
Surf Inlet	.43	.47
Stewart M. and D.	..	.18
Stewart Land Co.	..	16.00
Trojan Oils	.08	.09½
Bonds		
Dom. War Loan, 1925	92	93½
Dom. War Loan, 1933	91½	93
Dom. War Loan, 1937	87	87½
Victory Loan, 1923	93	93½
Victory Loan, 1923	97½	97½
Victory Bonds, 1924	98½	97
Victory Loan, 1927	86½	87
Victory Loan, 1933	87½	88
Victory Loan, 1934	95	95½
Victory Loan, 1937	95	95½

METAL MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Copper, steady; electrolytic spot 13; first quarter 13 to 13½; iron, nominally unchanged; tin, firm; spot and nearby, $29.75 to $29.75; futures, $29.60 to $29.50; antimony, $4.35 to $4.50; lead steady, spot $4.75; zinc, quiet, spot $5.20 to $5.02.

At London—Standard copper, spot £74, 2s 6d; futures £74, 7s 6d; electrolytic spot, £81; futures, £82; tin spot, £295, 5s; futures, £314; lead spot £25, 15s; futures £4, 5s; zinc, spot £56, 15s; futures, £57, 10s.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—Produce market quiet.

Cheese—Finest easterns, 27c.

Butter—Choicest creamery, 55c to 56c.

Eggs—Fresh, 75c.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $1.30.

YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE

New York funds, 11 per cent.
New York Sterling, $4.76¼.
Canadian Sterling, 21.29.

Japanese Withdraw

TOKIO, Jan. 11.—It is officially announced that the Japanese forces have been withdrawn from Chang Tao, Korea, except two battalions, which will remain to protect Japanese residents. Japanese troops were sent into the Chang Tao region some time ago owing to the alleged activities of the Korean bandits.

FURTHER STRENGTH IS SHOWN BY MARKET

Prices Are Advanced in Heavy Transactions on Stock Exchange—Rails Present Deterrent to Improvement

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—On the largest and most varied dealings so far this year, approximating a turnover of 1,200,000 shares, the stock market today strengthened its forward movement of the preceding session. In its general aspects the advance appeared to be largely speculative in its origin.

Factors which again contributed to the advance included the increased strength of foreign exchange, although the British rate was somewhat erratic, and the trend of money being easier. The latter development extended to time funds, which were in more liberal supply than at any period in the last six months.

Associated with the further rise of international remittances were rumors of impending loans or credit extensions to France and Switzerland, but in well posted quarters these were regarded as somewhat premature.

Steels, shippings, equipments and specialties furnished the strongest issues, Crucible Steel again leading the list at a net gain of 9½ points.

Otherwise, gains of two to five points were impaired by realising sales and the backwardness of rails, which at no time kept pace with the general market, and closed for the most part at moderate recessions.

Aside from some of the foreign municipal issues, which enhanced recent gains, the bond market lacked definite trend, many popular issues reacting with the Liberty groups and convertible rails. Total sales $12,300,000. Old U. S. bonds unchanged on call.

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Stock—	High.	Low.	Close.
All. Chemical	58½	58½	58½
Am. Linseed	55½	55½	55½
Allis-Chalmers	36½	34½	36½
Am. Beet Sugar	48	46½	47½
Am. Can. Co., com.	29½	27½	28½
Am. Car Foundry	123½	123½	123½
Am. Cotton Oil	23½	23½	23½
Am. In. Corp.	48½	45½	47½
Am. Locomotive	93½	91½	93
Am. Smelt. and Ref.	29½	29½	29½
Am. Sugar Rfg.	95½	93½	93½
Am. T. and Tel.	99½	99½	99½
Am. Wool, com.	71½	69½	70
Am. Steel Foundry	31½	31	31
Am. Rum. Tob.	82	78½	81½
Anaconda Mining	36½	36	36½
Atchison	84½	83½	84
Atlantic Gulf	74	68½	70½
Baldwin Loco.	44½	41	42½
Baltimore and Ohio	37½	36½	36½
Bethlehem Steel	67½	59½	61½
Canadian Pacific	118	118	118½
Central Leather	42½	40½	40½
Crucible Steel	103½	95½	101
Chesapeake and Ohio	31½	31	31
Chi., Mil. and St. P.	30½	30½	30½
Chi., R. I and Pac.	29	28	28
Cons. Gas	81	81	81
Chino Copper	23½	22	22
Chile Copper	13½	22	22
Corn Products	72½	70½	72½
Distillers Sec.	24½	24	24
Erie	14½	14½	14½
Gen. Electric	122	121½	121½
Gen. Motors	15½	13½	13½
Goodrich (B.F.)	44½	44½	44
Granby	28	28	28
Gt. Northern, pfd.	78	73½	77½
Hide and Lea., pfd.	55½	53½	53½
Inspiration Cop.	36½	35½	35½
Int'l Nickel	15½	15½	15½
Int'l. Mer. Marine	15½	15½	16½
Do., pfd.	49½	57½	61½
Kennecott Copper	30½	29½	29½
Kan. City Southern	20	20	20
Lehigh Valley	55½	54½	54½
Lack. Steel	58½	53½	57½
Midvale Steel	22½	22½	22½
Mex. Petroleum	132	157½	158
Missouri Pacific	21½	19½	19½
N. Y., N. H. and Hart.	31½	30½	31
New York Central	79½	78½	78½
Northern Pacific	85½	84	84½
Pennsylvania R. R.	41½	41½	41½
People's Gas	85½	85½	85½
Pressed Steel Car	87½	83½	87½
Reading	85	83½	85
Ray Cons. Mining	13½	13½	13½
Republic Steel	71½	68	69½
Sin. Oil	23½	21½	21½
Southern Pacific	100½	99½	99½
Southern Ry., com.	23½	23	23½
Studebaker Corpn.	56½	54½	56½
Sloss Sheffield	56	55½	55½
The Texas Company	42	44½	44½
Tob. Prod.	56½	55½	55½
Union Pacific	122	120½	121½
Utah Copper	56	54½	55½
U. S. Ind Alcohol	71½	70½	70½
U. S. Rubber	71½	69	70
U. S. Steel, com.	84½	83½	83½
Virginia Chem.	42½	41	41
Wabash R. R. "A"	23	22½	22½
Westinghouse Elec.	45½	44½	44½
Am. Ship. & Com.	15	10½	11½
Coca-Cola	24½	24	24
Columbia Graphophone	12½	12½	12½
United Fruit	204½	202	202
Nat. Enamel	59	58	58
Vivadou	7½	7½	7½
Union Oil	24	24	24
White Motors	40½	40½	40
Hupp Motors	18½	19½	19½
Chandler Motors	72	70½	70½
Hewaiian Oil	75½	70½	70½
Cerro de Pasco	30½	30½	30½
Cuban Cane Sugar	24½	23½	24½
Pierce Arrow	27½	26½	27½
Retail Stores	57½	56½	56½
Shell Transport	45	44½	44½
Royal Dutch	38½	38	38

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Bar silver, 53½d per ounce. Money and discount unchanged.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Sterling exchange strong; demand $4.76¾; cables $4.77¼.

Canadian dollars, 19½ per cent. discount.

Bar silver—Domestic, 99½; foreign, 68½.

French francs, 7.25.

Belgian francs, 7.88.

Italian lire, 4.29.

German marks, 1.39.

Dutch guilders, 38.40.

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Table showing the Yields on the Seven different Maturities of Victory Bonds at present prices, approximately as underlined.

Victory Bonds are now on the open market. As the prices fluctuate from day to day the table below is arranged to give the yield to the investor on all maturities.

Maturities.	(1) Due 1st Dec. 1922	(1) Due 1st Nov. 1923	(2) Due 1st Nov. 1924	(1) Due 1st Dec. 1927	(1) Due 1st Nov. 1933	(2) Due 1st Nov. 1934	(1) Due 1st Dec. 1937
Price.	Yield	Yield	Yield	Yield	Yield	Yield	Yield
110	....	....	....	....	4.48	4.52	4.64
109	....	....	....	4.01

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A Page of Big Values for This Morning's Selling

Including Many Whitewear Clearance Bargains

Corset Covers at Clearance Prices This Morning

Corset Covers of white cotton, with a yoke of embroidery and lace insertion. Reg. 50c values clearing at 35c each.

Corset Covers with deep yoke of lace, trimmed with insertion and ribbons. Values 85c, on sale at 65c each.

Corset Covers made with square yokes of embroidered organdie, trimmed with "Val." lace and insertion. Values to $1.00, on sale at 75c.

Nainsook Corset Covers, in tight-fitting styles, all neatly trimmed with embroidery. Regular $1.25 values, clearing at 90c.

Corset Covers of all-over embroidery, with straps to match, and finished with ribbon and with elastic at the waist.

Nainsook Corset Covers, made with a four-inch yoke of shadow lace back and front. On sale at $1.27 each.

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Underskirts at Whitewear Clearance Prices

White Cotton Underskirts, with a tucked and hemstitched frill, on sale at $1.25.

Underskirts with wide flounces, tucked and trimmed with wide insertion of embroidered organdie, lace insertion and edging. Priced to clear at $1.65 each.

Underskirts with wide flounce, trimmed with insertion and wide filet lace, and with plain or scalloped edges. A special white clearance at $1.90 each.

Underskirts of nainsook, with wide tucked flounce or eyelet insertion. Extraordinary value at $2.45 each.

Underskirts in odd lines, lace and embroidery trimmed; values to $4.50, on sale at $2.90 each.

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Hand-Made Nightgowns and Combinations at Clearance Prices

—Nightgowns and Combinations made from the finest quality nainsook, and beautifully hand-embroidered and hand-sewn, shown in various designs, at the following reductions:

Nightgowns, values to $15.00, on sale at $10.75.

Nightgowns, values to $12.75, on sale at $8.75.

Nightgowns, values to $8.75, on sale at $6.90.
Nightgowns, values to $7.50, on sale at $5.90.
Combinations, values to $8.75, on sale at $6.90.
Combinations, values to $7.50, on sale at $5.90.
Combinations, values to $6.75, on sale at $4.90.

—See these excellent values in the Whitewear Department.

—1st Floor—Phone 1194

Women's Dainty Waists at $4.90 and $9.90

Pretty Georgette and Crepe de Chine Waists, in colors of maize, flesh, bisque, white, navy and black. All designed in favored styles and priced to sell at $4.90 each. The latest styles in Tricolette, Taffeta and Georgette; an assortment in which are featured "Monkey" waists and tie-back styles, all exceedingly popular. Styles that feature round, square and "V"-shape necklines and long or three-quarter sleeves. Splendid values at $9.90 each.

—Waist Dept., 1st Floor

January Sale Values in Slip-On Sweaters

All-Wool Slip-On Sweaters in Nile and apricot; well made in a neat weave. At $2.50.

Slip-On Sweaters in fancy weaves, purled at the waistline and having V-shape neck and collar. Excellent value at only $3.75.

All-Wool Slip-On Sweaters in shades of lavender, green and rose; neat sweaters with shawl collars and frillie skirts. Special value at $6.75.

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

A Special Wednesday Morning Sale of Women's Silk Suits

$69.75 to $115.00 Values at, Each -- **$35.00**

—Fashionably modeled suits in "Kumsi Kumsa" Silk and Baronet Satin, in two-tone effects. The quality of the materials is exceedingly choice and the styles very distinctive. The skirts are white, either plain or accordion pleated and trimmed to match the coats. The suits are very attractive, and shown in shades of green, black and rose.

—At the very low price these stylish Silk Suits will attract a great deal of attention this morning. On display in the Mantle Section.

—Window display—View and Douglas.

—1st Floor—Phone 1010

Bargains in Blankets and Bedspreads Slightly Soiled—Not Damaged—Real Snaps for This Morning

Bedspreads, embroidered and hemstitched, 72 x 90. Regular $8.75, on sale at $6.75.

Bedspreads, embroidered and hemstitched, 90 x 100. Regular $11.50, on sale at $6.75.

Bedspreads, fancy colored dimity, highest grade, 70 x 86. Regular $12.50, on sale at $6.75.

Bedspreads, white dimity, highest grade, size 72 x 99. Regular $11.50, on sale at $6.75.

White Wool Blankets, 72 x 84. Regular $16.50, on sale at $12.75 a pair.

White All-Wool Blankets, size 66 x 86. Regular $27.50, on sale at $19.50 a pair.

White All-Wool Blankets, size 66 x 86. Regular $23.50, on sale at $16.95 a pair.

White All-Wool Blankets, size 70 x 90. Regular $22.75, on sale at $17.75 a pair.

Plaid Blankets, 66 x 80. Regular $15.75, on sale at $10.95 a pair.

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Bargains in Women's and Children's Hose—On Sale Thursday

600 Pairs Women's All-Wool Cashmere Hose, Penman's brand; sizes 8½, 9 and 9½ only. Regular values $1.50, on sale tomorrow at 75c.

Women's Black and Colored Lisle Hose, 500 pairs only, 75c values, on sale tomorrow at 35c.

Women's Black Cotton Hose, 360 pairs. Regular values 35c, on sale tomorrow at 19c a pair.

Boys' andGirls' 1-1 Rib Black Cotton Hose, in sizes 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9, 9½ and 10; 65c and 75c values, on sale tomorrow at 35c.

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Art Rugs on Sale at $1.35 Each

Art Rugs, 27 x 54 ins., most suitable for bedside, or before the dresser. Pretty Rugs, in colors of blue, rose, brown and green. Special this morning at $1.35.

—Carpet Dept.

This Morning's Snaps in the Women's Shoe Department

Women's High-Grade Spats, an excellent quality, in shades of fawn and grey; regular $5.00 values, offered at $2.95 a pair.

Women's Brown Leather Spats; regular $5.00, offered at, a pair.....$2.95

Children's Corduroy Leggings, in shades of grey and brown; all sizes at $1.95.

Children's Brown Leather Leggings, all sizes. An unusually good grade at $2.95 a pair.

Women's Rubbers, first quality, with heels; all shapes. Special today at, a pair.....85c

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor—Phone 6896

Ribbed Door Mats at 50c

Mats made in a double thickness of heavy cocoa matting; in sizes 13 x 24 inches; regular 75c, on sale this morning at 50c.

—Carpet Dept.

Kapoc Filled Cushion Forms on Sale This Morning

Cushion Forms, 16 x 16 inches square. Reg. $1.00, on sale at 75c each.

Cushion Forms, 18 x 18 inches square. Reg. $1.50, on sale at $1.00 each.

Cushion Forms, 17 x 23 inches, pillow shape. Reg. $1.35, on sale at $1.00 each.

Cushion Forms, 20 x 20 inches square. Reg. $1.50, on sale at $1.25 each.

—Drapery Dept., 2nd Floor Phone 1246

Drug Department News

Djerkiss Talcum, Special Sale

This morning only we are placing on sale this well known exquisitely scented Talcum; 3 45c tins for, each, 28c.

—Terms cash. No C.O.D. orders.

—Drug Dept., Main Floor

Bargain Values in Men's Underwear

Stanfield's, No. 88, heavy elastic rib Shirts and Drawers; sizes, 34 shirts and 32 drawers. Regular $5.50. On sale at $2.69 a garment.

Men's Shetland lamb's wool mixture, wool and cotton, Shirts and Drawers; all sizes. Reg. $1.75, on sale at $1.35 a garment.

Cream ribbed cotton, soft fleece finish, Shirts and Drawers; size 38 only. Reg. $1.25, on sale at 98c a garment.

Scholfield's heavy elastic rib Shirts and Drawers, superior wearing garments. Regular $3.25, on sale at $2.65 a garment.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2820

A Wool Mackinaw Shirt at $6.95

The out of doors man who knows the value of a superior grade Mackinaw Shirt will receive this announcement with pleasure. Today we are offering all-wool Mackinaw Shirts in excellent weight, with double back; in colors of black, blue and fancy checks. Shirts priced regularly at $10.50, to clear at $6.95 each.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2820

Children's Caps and Gaiters at Sale Prices

White Woolen Gaiters, knee length, in plain and fancy weaves; suitable for the ages of 1, 2 and 3 years; values to 75c. On sale at 50c.

Corduroy and Cloth Gaiters, in shades of navy, saxe and red; sizes to fit the ages of 1, 2 and 3 years; values to $1.00. On sale at 50c.

Colored Woolen Caps, trimmed with tassels, pompons and buttons; shown in shades of saxe, rose, white, pink, red, maroon, green and brown; sizes to fit the ages of 1 to 14 years; values to $1.25. On sale at 75c.

—Children's Dept., 1st Floor

Bedroom Rockers at Bargain Prices This Morning

Rockers in several styles, made from solid quartered oak and completed in a golden finish; they have cane seats, and are worth regularly $12.00. On sale at $7.00 each.

Oak Rockers and Chairs, matched, made from quartered oak and with cane seats. Regular $10.00 values, now on sale at $5.00 each.

—Furniture, 2nd Floor—Phone 5441

Extension Couches Special at $20.00

These Extension Couches are made with a frame of heavy angle steel with a fabric; Simmons' twisted link spring, 27x72 inches. The couches have a soft cushion, and are covered with good quality green denim, with a valance on all sides. Wonderful value at $20.00 each.

—Furniture, 3rd Floor

50 Inch Figured Casement at $1.10 a Yard

Figured Casement of exceptionally good grade; ideal for draperies, etc.; shown in shades of rose, blue and brown. Regular $1.55, on sale today at $1.10 a yard.

—Drapery Dept., 2nd Floor—Phone 1246

Groceteria Daily Bulletin

Creamettes, 2 pkgs., 25c.

Royal Standard Flour, 10 lbs., 70c.

Maybloom Tea, 50c lb.

Jameson's Coffee, 56c lb.

Aunt Jemima's Pancake Flour, 22c pkg.

Javelle Water, the best washing fluid on the market, 25c bottle, 18c.

Post Toasties, 11c pkg.

Empress Strawberry Jam, 1 lb. jars, 44c.

Not-a-Seed Raisins, 25c pkg.

St. Charles Milk, 15c tin.

Popping Corn, 2 lbs., 25c.

Malkin's Best Custard Powder, 25c tin, 17c.

La Parfait Castile Soap, 100 cakes, 3 for 17c.

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